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The steam-ship "India," 1,050 tons, 900 H. P., Commander C. Baxter, will be despatched on Tuesday, the 30th March, at noon.

	March.		April.
Leave Bombay	30	Leave Galle	6
„ Carwar	31	„ Negapatam	9
	April	„ Madras	12
„ Mangalore	1	„ Coconada	14
„ Cannanore	2	„ Vizagapatam	15
„ Calicut	2	„ Bimlipatam	15
„ Beypore	2	„ Gopalpore	16
„ Cochin	3	„ False Point	17
„ Tuticorin	4	Arrive Calcutta	18
„ Colombo	5		

This route is the most expeditious and economical for passengers for the Neilgherrie district, Bangalore and Madras, who can land at Calicut for Beypore, and proceed from thence by rail.

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No cargo will be received on the day of sailing.
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Up.	Apl.	Apl.	Down.	Apl.	May.
Leave Bombay	5	& 19	Leave Bussorah	23	& 7
„ Kurrachee	9	23	„ Fao	23	7
„ Guadur	10	24	„ Bushire	25	9
„ Muscat	13	27	„ Linga	27	11
„ Bunder Abbas	15	29	„ Bunder Abbas	29	13
„ Linga	16	30		May.	
	May.		„ Muscat	1	15
„ Bushire	19	3	„ Guadur	3	17
„ Fao	20	4	„ Kurrachee	5	19
Arrive Bussorah	21	5	Arrive Bombay	8	22

N.B.—No cargo will be received on the day of sailing.
W. NICOL & Co., Agents.

STEAM COMMUNICATION WITH KURRACHEE.

THE British India Steam Navigation Company (Limited), under mail contract with Government, and in connection with the weekly service from England, despatch a steamer to Kurrachee every MONDAY, at noon.

The steam-ship "Euphrates," 650 tons, 120 H. P., Commander J. C. Sharp, will be despatched on Monday, the 29th March, at noon.

N.B.—No cargo will be received on the day of sailing.
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Further particulars can be learnt on application to the undermentioned Agents :—
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or to the undersigned at Bombay,
J. A. SHEPHERD.
Church Street, Bombay, 12th January 1869.

THE well known first class Steamer "Phlox," Baker, Commander, will leave Bombay for the under noted places every Tuesday, taking Goods and Passengers, starting from the Apollo Bunder at 4 P.M., viz :—

Hurnee. Unjunwell. Rutnagherry. | Jeytapoor. Malwan. | Vingorla. Goa.

For Freight or Passage apply to Nusserwanjee Kersasjee, Manager, Bazaar Gate Street, and for Charter, to J. Dixon, Rampart Row.

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WEEKLY COMMUNICATION WITH ENGLAND.

On Saturday, the 27th March, at 3 P.M., from Mazagon.

THE P. & O. Co.'s S. S. "Sumatra," (2,201 tons, and 500 H. P.), Captain C. A. White, will leave for Suez as above, carrying H. M.'s Mails, also passengers and cargo for that port, Marseilles, Southampton, &c.

Cargo can also be booked through to Trieste, Venice, Genoa, Barcelona and Havre, Liverpool, or London.

No cargo can be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing.

Parcels will be received at this office until 11 A.M. on Friday, the 26th instant.

Passengers are requested to send their heavy baggage to Mazagon before 10 A.M. on the day of the steamer's departure, in order that it may be weighed and labelled previous to shipment.

A small steamer will leave Mazagon Bunder for the convenience of passengers at 3 P.M., precisely, on the day of sailing.
G. F. HENRY, Superintendent.
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Rampart Row, Bombay,
20th March 1869.

FOR HONGKONG VIA KURRACHEE.

THE fine first class Barque "Landwürsten," Captain J. G. Becker, will sail on or about 1st proximo. For deadweight for China or freight for Kurrachee apply to Captain Becker on board, or to
FINLAY, SCOTT, & Co.

FOR LONDON.

THE fine ship "Earl Russell," well known in the Australian passengers line, owned by Messrs. John Lidgett & Sons, London W. C., Sargant, Commander, having a great portion of her Cargo engaged. For freight or passage apply to
BELL, VENTZ, & LUCIUS, Agents.
Bombay, 17th February 1869.

NOTICE to PASSENGERS, &c.—The Steam Yacht "Reform" will leave the Apollo Bunder every Saturday afternoon, until further notice, at quarter past 4 for the conveyance of Passengers and others to and from the outgoing P. & O. Mail Steamer, returning from the latter at 5 P.M. Fare.—One Rupee each way. No heavy Luggage can be carried.

NOTICE.—Consignees of cargo per ship "Childers," arrived from Liverpool, are requested to despatch boats at once to take delivery, otherwise the same will be landed by the Captain at the risk and expense of the concerned.
W. NICOL & Co.,
Agents of ship "Childers."
Bombay, 20th March 1869.

NOTICE.—Consignees of cargo per ship "Weathersfield," from Liverpool, are requested to send off boats alongside immediately for their respective goods as they come to hand, failing which they will be landed by the Captain at the risk and expense of the concerned.

Captain Richardson will not be responsible for the condition or contents of any package after it leaves the ship's deck.
REMINGTON & Co.,
Agents for the ship "Weathersfield."
22nd March 1869.

MESSRS. M. B. COHEN & Co., Shipping and General Commission Agents, No. 8, Meadow Street, entrance Bell Lane.
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N. B.—Orders from Up-country promptly attended to.

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For Freight or Passage apply to Messrs. Stephen, Kennard & Co., London; Messrs. Tod, Kennard & Co., Liverpool; Messrs. Tod, Rathborne & Co., Alexandria; Austrian Lloyd's Steam Navigation Company, Trieste and Venice; and Messrs. Fraissinet Pere et Fils, Marseilles; or to the undersigned in Bombay.

The Steam-ship "Gunga," 1,300 tons, Captain Child, will be despatched on Wednesday, the 7th April.
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2 „ Linen Collars,	1 Inverness Cape.
1 „ Fine Cotton Socks.	1 Hand Portmanteau.
1 „ Fine Merino Socks.	2 Overland Trunks.
½ „ Fine Merino Drawers.	1 Clothes Bag.
½ „ Colored Handkerchiefs.	1 Travelling Hat,
1 „ White Cambric.	1 Courier Bag.
1 Overland Suit.	1 Easy Chair.
2 Sleeping Suits.	1 Umbrella.
2 Pairs of Kid Gloves.	1 Pair of Brushes.
6 Scarfs and Ties.	Ladies' Overland Trunks.

Return Fares.—First Class Passengers embarking from India by the P. and O. Co.'s Steamer within six months of their arrival from England, and *vice versa*, will be allowed a reduction of 20 per cent. on the Return Passage Money.
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TUDOR COMPANY'S ICE HOUSE.—From date the price of Ice at the Fort will be ONE ANNA per pound.
B. F. FIELD, Jr.
Bombay, 26th March 1869.

ALBION PLACE, PAREL ROAD.—TO LET, single and double Sets of Rooms. Vehar Water laid on and supplied free to each set of rooms.

Apply by letter to the Secretary, Bombay Mechanics' Building Company (Limited), 1, Albion Place, Parel Road.

NOTICE.—The next Meeting of the Drainage and Water Supply Commission will be held in the Durbar Room of the Town Hall, on Monday, the 29th instant, at 2 P.M.
I. B. LYON, Secretary.
Bombay, 25th March 1869.

MR. NASSERWANJEE ARDASEER HORMARJEE, the eldest son of our Senior, has been admitted a partner in our Firm, from the 1st of January 1869.
B. & A. HORMARJEE.
Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, 25th March 1869.

NOTICE.—The Executive Engineer, Colaba, will receive Sealed Tenders up to Monday the 5th April 1869, 2 P.M., for the execution of ordinary and petty repairs to Military and Civil Buildings at Colaba for the ensuing year, viz., from the 1st April 1869 to the 31st March 1870.

All particulars can be learnt on personal application at the Office at Colaba between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. daily; Sundays and Holidays excepted.

The Executive Engineer does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.
CHARLES MANT, Lieut. R. E.,
Executive Engineer, Colaba.
Executive Engineer's Office, Colaba, 23rd March 1869.

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.—NOTICE.—From the 1st April 1869 Messages will no longer be delivered on the premises of the Telegraph office at Bombay.

Merchants or others who may wish to have telegrams, addressed to them, delivered to their servants or other people, or at addresses other than their ordinary residences or offices, should give notice of their wishes to this office in writing.
J. J. DOOLEY,
Assistant Superintendent, in charge Govt. Tele. Department.
Bombay, 25th March 1869.

GOVERNMENT ICE HOUSE.—The Ship "Zephyr," having arrived with Ice and Merchandise, the undersigned beg to offer fresh Invoices, American Lumber, Turpentine, Tobacco, Rosin, Tar, Apples, &c.

We have advices of the following ships being under Charter to bring out Wenham Lake Ice and general merchandise to this Port :—

Ship "Springfield," 884 tons ice, due at any moment. Ship "Messenger," 1,000 tons ice. Ship "Schofield," 1,500 tons. Ship "Pennington," 1,500 tons. In all, inclusive of ship "Zephyr," cargo now in harbour, 6,324 tons.
FARNHAM & Co.

TO the JUSTICES of the PEACE for the CITY of BOMBAY.—I hereby give notice, that a Quarterly Meeting of the Justices of the Peace for the City of Bombay will be held in the Town Hall, on Monday, the 5th day of April 1869, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon precisely, when the following business will be submitted for consideration :—

1. Letter from the Municipal Commissioner, No. 716, dated 9th February 1869, forwarding copy of a letter, No. 277, dated 5th idem, from the Chief Secretary to Government, regarding the appointment of a Commission to inquire into the working of the Municipality since 1st July 1865.
2. Letter from the Chief Secretary to Government G. D., No. 742, dated 22nd March 1869, on the same subject, in reply to the Resolution of the Worshipful Bench on the 15 lakhs Loan.
3. The Municipal Commissioner to ask a further note for Health Department from 1st April.
4. To fix the remuneration allowance to be made to Dr. Hewlett, Executive Health Officer, for the remaining three months of the extended leave granted to him by the Worshipful Bench on the 25th January last.
5. Extracts from the proceedings of the Finance Committee, dated 18th January and 23rd March 1869, with accompaniments.
6. Letter from Pranjeevandass Damodardass and another, tendering for collecting all Municipal Cesses of the Town and Island of Bombay, &c., for the term of five or three years.
7. Government Resolution J. D., No. 200, dated 20th January 1869, on the subject of Establishments under the control of the Commissioner of Police.
8. Government Resolution P. W. D., No. 24 C. W. 55-55 of 1869, dated 23rd February 1869, respecting the Commission appointed by Government to report on the scheme for Drainage and Water Supply of Bombay.
9. Government Resolution P. W. D., No. 36 C. W. 80 of 1869, dated 16th March 1869, regarding the appointment of Dr. I. B. Lyon, as Secretary to the Drainage and Water Supply Commission.
10. Government Resolution P. W. D., No. 75 A.—591 of 1869, dated the 10th March 1869, respecting the adjustment of charges on account of Vehar Water supplied to Government buildings.
11. Government Resolution G. D., No. 532, dated 2nd March 1869, on the subject of taking a Census of the City of Bombay.
12. Government Resolution G. D., No. 571, dated 6th March 1869, relating to the conveyance of the Victoria Gardens direct to the Justices of the Peace.
13. Letters from the Hon'ble Munguldass Nathubhoy, Hon'ble Byramjee Jeejeebhoy, J. Connon, F. G. Joynt, A. T. Crawford, and Vinayakrao Jagannathji Sunkersett, Esqrs. accepting the appointment as Visiting Justices of the Bombay Jails for 1869.
14. A letter from T. Ormiston, Esq., dated 23rd March 1869, forwarding for the information of the Worshipful Bench his Account Current with the contributors of the Bridges over the G. I. P. Railway at the Native Town, &c.
15. The Municipal Commissioner to ask the sanction of the Bench to the sale of the Freelands Estate to Government.

C. E. STANGER LEATHES,
Clerk to the Justices of the Peace for the City of Bombay.
Bombay, Town Hall, 24th March 1869.

WANTED.

PRINTER'S READER WANTED.—Must understand English thoroughly, and be competent to read first and final proofs. A practical printer preferred. Sober and regular habits indispensable. Persons possessing these qualifications, of which satisfactory proof will be required, may address X., care of Manager, "Bombay Gazette," Fort.

HOUSES, &c., TO LET.

OFFICE TO LET.—To let, the Commodious Premises, situated at 25 Church Gate Street, lately occupied by Messrs. Bell, Ventz, and Lucius. Apply to
WALLACE & Co.

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET at Land's End, Malabar Hill—a fine situation close to the Sea—for four or five months from 1st May next: rent moderate. Apply to "B.," office of this paper.

TO BE LET, from the 1st April next, that large house on the top of the hill at Breach Candy, at present occupied by the Hon'ble Colonel Marriott. For Rent and particulars apply to Mr. Nowrojee Jehangeer Gaumdia, at No. 6 Byramjee Homejee Lane, Fort, or at the new Bungalow at the corner of the Breach Vellard, Breach Candy.

TO LET, a very commodious and airy Bungalow at the Lage Grove in Worlee. Has Out-houses and Stables, besides a very large Compound and an extensive open space roundabout; commands a very excellent view. Is now in the occupation of the Hon'ble Mr. A. Brown. Apply to
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NOTICES.

NOTICE.—The undersigned have established themselves as Merchants and Commission Agents at this place from the 1st instant, under the style and firm of R. Dhunjeeshaw & Co., in connection with Messrs. Framjee Hormusjee & Co. of China.
RUSTOMJEE DHUNJEESHAW.
FRAMJEE HORMUSJEE.
Bombay, 22nd March 1869.

IN CHANCERY.
In the matter of the Asiatic Banking Corporation
Notice is given, that a 2nd Dividend, at the rate of 2s. 6d. in the Pound, will be payable on and after Tuesday, 30th inst., to Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Court.
The Official Liquidator,
for WILLIAM STEEL.
Elphinstone Circle, 22nd March 1869.

BOMBAY DIOCESAN BOARD of EDUCATION.—A Public Meeting to receive the 3rd Annual Report of the Board will be held in the bungalow occupied by the Diocesan School, Byculla, (close to the Railway Station) on Monday, March 29, 1869, at 8 P.M.

The Lord Bishop of Bombay will preside.

The attendance of all persons interested in education is requested.
G. C. REYNELL,
Honorary Secretary.

NOTICE.—Whereas many persons, and especially occupiers, are in the habit of deferring payment of Municipal Bills, undersigned draws attention to the provisions of the law for recovery by notice and distraint, viz., Sec. 1 of Act 4 of 1867, and Sec. 72 Act 2 of 1865. Persons who neglect to pay Bills on the first demand will have only themselves to thank if they are immediately subjected to the indignity of a notice, to be followed in due time by a distress warrant.
ARTHUR CRAWFORD,
Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay.
Municipal Commissioner's Office, Bombay, 16th March 1869.

THE GRAND FINANCE COMPANY, Limited, (in Liquidation).—A Second and Final Distribution of Assets of the above Company amongst the Shareholders, at the rate of Rs. 2 2/16 (Rupees Two and Annas Two) per Share (subject, as to Shareholders indebted to the Company, to the payment of all debts due from them) will be made on and after Wednesday the 24th instant, at the Company's Office, No. 8, Church Lane, Fort, between the hours of 11 and 3. Production of the Share Certificates or allotments will be necessary.
ROBERT WALLACE, } Liquidators.
PESTONJEE DADABHOY WADIA, }
Bombay, 15th February 1869.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.—Tenders are invited for laying in additional Sidings at Waree Bunder. The form of tender and other particulars may be obtained on application at the office of the Chief Resident Engineer, Byculla, on and after the 22nd instant.

Tenders endorsed "Additional Sidings at Waree Bunder" must be delivered to the Agent not later than the 5th April, proximo. The undersigned does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.
WALTER KNOX, Agent.
Company's Offices, Elphinstone Circle, 20th March 1869.

NOTICE.—Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned at 12 o'clock, noon, on the 31st inst., for the Feed, Shoeing, and Veterinary treatment for two years of the Horses belonging to the General Post Office.

Tenders should specify the rate per month for each horse.

A deposit of Rs. 500 must accompany each tender, which will be forfeited to Government in the event of the party whose tender may be accepted failing to fulfil the contract.

No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any tender.

The conditions of the Contract Deed and all other particulars can be learnt by personal application at the Post Office, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
C. A. STUART, Post Master.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the interest of Butchoobaee, widow of the late Merwanjee Nowrojee Narialwalla, in a piece of Government land, containing 46,220 square yards, registered under Collector's No. 99, Survey No. 690, in the Collector's Rent Roll, with such buildings as are standing thereon, situated at Mount, Mazagon, seized under Distress Warrant for non-payment of the revenue, will be sold by Public Auction at the Collector's Office, in the Elphinstone Circle, at noon on Tuesday the 6th April 1869.
F. R. S. WYLLIE, Acting Collector.
Bombay, Collector's Office, 5th March 1869.

FOREST DEPARTMENT, KHANDEISH.—An Auction Sale of Teak Timber will be held at the following Depots on the dates specified :—
Garlebharee ......2,000 logs, 15th and 16th May 1869.
Hutghur ....2,000 logs, 17th and 18th do.

The above Depots are within 3 miles of each other, and are situated in the Abona Talooka, of the Khandeish Collectorate, each log contains an average 10 cubic feet, and will be handed over to the purchaser on the day of sale.

Any further information can be obtained from the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Khandeish, or the Mahalkurry of Abona.

NOTICE.—The Bombay, Baroda, and Central India Railway Company have established Goods Offices at the following places, from where Cotton is booked direct to Bombay, and Railway Receipts obtained at Rupees 24 (twenty-four) per ton plus Cartage Charges to Ahmedabad :—
Veerumgaum. | Limree.
Wudhwan. | Detroje near Kurree.
Dhollera.
BYRAMJEE NUSSERWANJEE, Bombay,
AND
NOWROJEE PESTONJEE, Ahmedabad,
Carting Agents B. B. and C. I. Railway.
Carting Agent's Office, Ahmedabad, 1st March 1869.

IMPORTANT REDUCTION in the RATES of FIRE INSURANCE.—The English Assurance Company, being free from combination, and acquiescing in the public demand for reduced Fire rates, are prepared to issue Policies on the following terms, which are some 20 per cent. per annum below those of any other Office in Bombay :—

	For 12 ms. a. p.	For 6 ms. a. p.	For 3 ms. a. p.	For 1 mo. a. p.
On Pucka-built Dwelling-houses, Mercantile Offices or Banks, (no part used for the deposit of Merchandise) Churches or Furniture therein.				
In European part of city and Colaba	11 0	7 0	5 0	3 6
In Native part of city and Colaba	16 0	10 6	6 6	5 0
In Native Town without the city	19 0	12 6	8 0	6 6
Outside the city and also outside Colaba and the Native Town without the city	5 0	3 6	2 6	2 6
In any part of the country or Mofussil of the Bombay Presidency	5 0	3 6	2 6	2 6
Pucka-built Warehouses, Shops and their contents. No hazardous trade.				
In European part of city and Colaba	14 0	9 6	6 6	5 0
In Native part of the city	16 0	10 6	6 6	5 0
In Native Town without the city	25 0	16 0	9 6	7 0
Cotton—on Cotton Green, Colaba				6 6
Timber hauled up, daily covered by tide				3 6
Ships in Harbour	12 6	9 6	6 3	3 3
All the Bunders to be rated at	16 0	10 6	6 6	5 0

HILL, POLLOCK, & Co., Agents.
25, Apollo Street, 22nd March 1869.

ELIGIBLE INVESTMENT.—Sale of a Mansion, Dwelling House, and Landed Property at Ootacamund. To be sold (under instructions from the Mortgagees acting under a power of sale) by Public Auction, towards the end of May, on a day to be fixed hereafter, unless previously disposed of by private sale or redeemed by the Mortgagor, in two lots.

Lot No. 1.

That capacious and superior terraced built Mansion on a stone foundation, known as the "Cedars," situated on the south-west side of the Lake, and within half a mile of the new Church, in the midst of beautiful grounds, together with numerous substantially constructed out-offices.

This Mansion comprises a very fine spacious hall, a handsome dining-room, pantry, study, two drawing-rooms, three beautiful bed-rooms, and ample dressing and bath-room accommodation, with excellent godowns, two large kitchens, a capital larder and two store-rooms, with two bed-rooms downstairs.

The out-houses comprise a large coach-house, extensive stabling, a gram shed, a servants' godown, six pig styes, a cow shed, a shed for bullocks and two lodges.

The grounds measure forty-three acres, one rood, twenty-two perches, and twenty-six square yards or thereabouts.

Lot No. 2.

That very desirable and valuable property known as "Awdry House," situated on the south west side of the Lake, in the vicinity of the "Cedars." The house is a substantial terraced building, recently repaired, and in very good order, affording plenty of accommodation suitable for all requisite purposes.

There are a dining and drawing-room, conservatory, two large and three small bed-rooms, five dressing and six bath-rooms, also a Matey's room.

There is excellent stabling for six horses, a coach-house, two kitchens, and ample godowns.

The grounds measure fifteen cawnies, twenty-two grounds, and two hundred and twenty-six square feet or thereabouts.

More detailed particulars will appear in future advertisements.

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and all consanguineous affections of
THE SKIN,
resulting from its excessive action in
TROPICAL CLIMATES,
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CALF TELESCOPE, for Nos. 2 and 3 Manillas	2 8	2 12
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A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
all the above descriptions just received by
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NOTICES.

GRANT ROAD THEATRE.
THE IRISH UNION THEATRICAL CLUB.

The Amateurs of the above Club most respectfully beg to announce to the Public that they will make their first appearance on the boards of the above Theatre on
MONDAY, 29th MARCH, 1869,
when will be produced the much-admired and romantic Drama in two Acts, by Thomas Egerton Wilks, entitled,
"MICHAEL ERLE, THE MANIAC LOVER,"
or the
"FAYRE LASSE OF LICHFIELD."
To be followed by Song and Dance.
The whole to conclude with the Screaming Farce, entitled,
"LEND ME FIVE SHILLINGS."

Through the kind permission of Colonel H. Torrens, the Band of H. M.'s 23rd Royal Welsh Fusiliers will be in attendence on the night of the performance.

RATES OF ADMISSION.

Dress Circle	Rs. 5
Stalls	„ 3
Gallery	„ 2
Pit	„ 1

Tickets to be had at the Catholic Examiner Press Office, Meadow Street, Fort; also at Messrs. Treacher & Co., Fort and Byculla, from the 24th inst.; and at the Box Office on the night of the performance.

Doors open at half past 8, performance to commence precisely at 9 P.M.

N.B.—It is respectfully intimated to the Public, that the proceeds of the Performance are entirely for the benefit of St. Xavier's College.
W. H. LOVETT, Manager.

PIANOFORTE INSTRUCTION and TUNING.—Mr. John H. Willy, Pianist, Organist, and Tuner, begs respectfully to state that he will be happy to give Instruction on the Piano and Tune any Pianos that may require Tuning.

Terms.
Two Lessons per week, one hour each Lesson,
Fort, Colaba or Malabar Hill .... Rs. 20 per mensem.
Do. do. Byculla or Mazagon .... „ 15 „
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Terms arranged with Families.

Any communication addressed to Mr. John H. Willy at his residence, No. 6 Clare Road, Byculla, will be punctually attended to.

Mr. Willy begs to state that he travelled with the celebrated Distin Family (the performers on the Saxe Horns) as Solo Pianist and Accompanyist for a period of eight years, all over England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales, Channel Islands, France, Germany, America, and Canada, and had the honor of performing with them twice before Her Majesty, once at Buckingham Palace, and once at Balmoral.

NOTICE.—BANK of INDIA (in Liquidation).—NOTICE is hereby given that a third Dividend, at the rate of Rs. 5 (Rupees Five) per Share on the Old, and Rs. 3 (Rupees Three) per Share, on the New Issue, will be paid to the Shareholders at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 12, Elphinstone Circle, on Wednesday, the 3rd proximo, between the hours of 11 A.M., 4 P.M. and on every following Wednesdays during the same hours.
JNO. A. J. SHAW, } Liquidators.
BERAMJI NAOROSJI, }
No. 12, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, 28th Jan., 1868.

NOTICE.—THE CUTCH FINANCIAL ASSOCIATION (Limited).—Holders of shares in the above Company (under liquidation) entitled to the 1st and 2nd dividends, but who have not yet applied for the same, are requested to do so on or before the 30th April proximo, after which date they will be excluded from the abovenamed dividends, and also in the final and third one about to be declared.
G. S. CLAY, } Liquidators
CURSONDASS NENSEE, }
Bombay, 12th March 1869.

NOTICE.—The undermentioned Banks will be closed on GOOD FRIDAY, the 26th, and on EASTER MONDAY, 29th instant :—
For the Oriental Bank Corporation,
J. F. MOIR, Agent.
For the Chartered Mercantile Bank of I. L. and China,
E. A. ARTHUR, Agent.
For the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China,
JAMES DOUGLAS, Agent.
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E. J. HARDCASTLE, Manager.
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JAMES WINDRAM, Manager.
For the Delhi and London Bank (Limited),
G. W. BOOKER, Manager.
For the Agra Bank (Limited),
EDWARD MORRISS, Manager.
Bombay, 19th March 1869.

SUEZ CANAL.—The undersigned are authorised to book Goods and Passengers through the Canal from Suez to Port Said.

Trains of Goods Lighters leave Suez every five days, arriving at Port Said about four days later.

Rate per ton of 1,000 Kilogrammes fcs. 25.75.

Goods conveyed direct from the Steamers in Suez Roads to the Steamers in Port Said Harbour without landing.

Passenger Boats leave Suez on the arrival of every Steamer, and arrive at Port Said about 25 hours later.

Fare, first class, fcs. 43 per adult.

Children under three years of age, free; over three years and under ten years, half fare.

For all information respecting Steamers calling at Port Said, or other matters connected with the Canal, apply to
BLACKWELL & Co.,
Transit Agents, Suez Canal Company.
Bombay, 6th March 1869.

IN the HIGH COURT of JUDICATURE at BOMBAY.
In the matter of the Indian Companies' Act 1866, and in the matter of the Bombay Finance Corporation (Limited).

Upon reading the affidavit of the Official Liquidator, sworn the thirteenth day of March instant, I order that those shareholders who paid the second call of rupees one hundred per share, made by the Directors on the first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, send to the Official Liquidator, at his office, No. 30 Meadow Street, within the Fort, Bombay, on or before the first day of May next, their claims, if any, to have their contributions equalized with those of the shareholders who did not pay said call, but only fifty rupees or half thereof, and that in default the Liquidator may proceed to close the Liquidation and obtain an order for the dissolution of the Company. I further direct that this order be published three times in the "Bombay Government Gazette," three times weekly in the English Newspapers, in the "Bombay Sumachar," and "Indu Prakash" previous to said date.—Dated this 15th day of March 1869.
JOSEPH ARNOULD.
DALLAS & Co.,
Attorneys for the Official Liquidator of the Bombay Finance Corporation (Limited).

NOTICE.—HENRY S. KING & Co.'s (late Smith, Elder, & Co.'s) Bombay Agency.

Messrs. Henry S. King & Co., of London, have the pleasure to announce that they have established a Branch Firm in Bombay, under the style of King, King, & Co., by whom their Agency in that place will in future be conducted.

WITH reference to the above, Messrs. J. A. Brown & Co. have from this date ceased to act as the Agents of Messrs. Henry S. King & Co., London, and the Power of Attorney hitherto held by Mr. James Alexander Brown from Mr. Henry Samuel King has been cancelled.
HENRY SAMUEL KING,
By his Attorney CHARLES DANKS.
Bombay, 18th March 1869.

KING, KING, & Co.

HAVE the pleasure to announce, with reference to the above notices, that they have taken offices at No. 6 Church Lane, where they will in future conduct the Agency of Messrs. Henry S. King & Co. (late "Smith, Elder, & Co.)" East India, Army, and Civil Service Agents, London.

All communications addressed to them will receive prompt attention.

Orders and remittances for the London Firm received and transmitted by every Mail.

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KING, KING, & Co., Agents, Bombay.
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A best Patent Centre fire D. B. L. Gun, No. 3,527, in best Oak and leather case, furnished complete, Patent Cartridge loading Machine, waterproof gun cover and bottle of Oil, 400 best C. F cases, 2 lbs. of Wads, and box of caps for Cartridges .... Rs. 750 0
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REDUCED SCALE OF CHARGES FOR BOOKS.

Messrs. Thacker, Vining, & Co. have long had it in contemplation to reduce their scale of charges, but have hitherto been deterred by important considerations connected with the increasing expenses of keeping up Establishments in Bombay and the heavy rate of freight on Overland Consignments. In consequence, however, of the extension of business, the addition to the European Population of the Presidency, and the revision of the Peninsular and Oriental Company's tariff in favour of Importers, together with the facilities now afforded by that Company, they have the pleasure to announce that from this date they will offer the following advantages ;—

New and Standard Books, whether supplied from Stock or procured from England, will be charged at a uniform rate of ten annas to the shilling; thus a book of which the published price in England is six shillings will be supplied at three rupees twelve annas; the same book procured from England through the post would cost four rupees. In the case of larger books, the result is nearly the same: a book published at £1 will generally weigh 3 lbs., costing in postage four shillings, or four shillings and eight pence; the total cost by this means would therefore be Rs. 13; purchased in Bombay the same book will cost Rs. 12-8. There will thus be, in future, no advantage in ordering books direct from England by post; and when the convenience of immediate supply is taken into consideration, in addition to the avoidance of all risk in transit, Messrs. Thacker, Vining, & Co. respectfully submit that there will be a large balance of advantage in favour of their Customers.

Messrs. Thacker, Vining, & Co. are prepared to receive indents from Schools and Public Libraries, and to execute them at English prices plus the ordinary charges of import, for amounts of not less than £100.—Cash on delivery.

The Book Stock, after many valuable additions, especially to the Law and Medical shelves has been re-arranged and classified in a manner to facilitate selection. The latest publications are received by the Weekly Steamers, and nothing is omitted to keep the general reader *au courant* with the best Literature of the day.

Messrs. Thacker, Vining, & Co. respectfully solicit inspection of their stock; a spare half hour may be pleasantly spent in looking over the shelves.

Messrs. Thacker, Vining, & Co. would direct special attention to their Cash terms for Periodicals and Newspapers. A list of those Publications with the distinctive features of each, the English price and the rates at which they are supplied in Bombay or despatched to the Mofussil, may be had on application. A glance will show that Magazines are supplied at less than their cost when sent direct from England by post; for instance, any Shilling Magazine costs eight pence per month postage from England, making the total cost £1, or Rs. 10 per annum; the charge as per Messrs. Thacker, Vining, & Co.'s list, is Rs. 7-2 in Bombay or Rs. 8-10 by post into the country. Newspapers which are sent direct from England to addresses in India, are quoted at a small percentage upon the English cost and postage, though less than that charged by many English News Agents.

Messrs. Thacker, Vining, & Co. trust that their old Friends and Customers will continue, and increase their favours, and that the Public generally will do them the honour to second their endeavours to deal fairly and justly by the Community.

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SEASON 1869.
For terms apply to the Manager.

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This Establishment is now open. The Charges are on the same moderate scale as those charged at the Bombay Establishment.

There is an excellent Billard Table.

The Wines, Spirits, and Beer are all of the first quality.

N. B.—There is an extensive range of Bedrooms; and separate Bungalows for the use of Families are about to be erected.

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This useful Institution,
The first of its kind,
Needs no recommendation
To the Public mind;
FOR HERE
Good Digestion waits on Appetite, and Billiards (Companion to Health) on both.

"You can't gild refined gold or paint the lily."—Shakespeare, or any other man.

BYCULLA HOTEL,
Situate at the Junction of the
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Under the present management this Hotel is acknowledged to be the best in Bombay. It was built at great cost expressly for an Hotel, and fitted up and furnished in the most complete manner regardless of expense, so as to ensure the comfort of Visitors and Residents. It is adapted both for Families and Gentlemen.

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The Table is abundantly supplied with the very best Viands, and the Culinary Department is under the immediate supervision of the Proprietor.

The Wines, Spirits and Beer are selected from the most celebrated Houses in London and the Continental Markets.

The Proprietor takes this opportunity to thank his numerous Patrons for their support, and while soliciting a continuance of their favours, recommends his Establishment to the favorable notice of Travellers and Residents, all of whom may be accommodated with the comforts of a Home at moderate charges.

This Hotel is pleasantly situated and within five minutes' drive of both Railway Stations, and within a short distance of the landing-places.
Byculla Hotel, 1st July, 1868.

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HOUSEHOLD SHERRY—Red Seal .... Rs. 21 per doz.
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A light, sound, and really delicate Breakfast Wine 9 „

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India Gauze Pantaloons	Rs. 42 per doz.
Single Men's Brown-dressed Cotton Do.	„ 48 „
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	Rs.
Brown Cotton half hose .... from 9 to	12 per doz
Fancy Striped do	12-8 „
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Do. do.	15-8 „
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West of England Cloth Morning Coat, &c.	35
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West End Diagonal Morning Coat	24
Paramatta Lounge Coat	14
„ Morning „	18
Alpaca, Plain or Twilled	14

TROUSERS.

Superfine Black Doeskin Trousers	22
Extra Superfine Cassimere „	24
Fancy Doeskin Trousers	16
„ Scotch Saxony Angolas	18
„ Tweeds, Flannels, &c	14
Fancy Colored Linen Drill Trousers, per pair	8
White Linen Drill, per dozen .... Rs. 65 to	120
White American Drill, do.	60

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Superfine Best Black Cassimere	Rs. 11
Fancy Doeskin Vests	8
Fancy Angola Tweed, &c.	8
Paramatta	7
Alpaca	6
Fancy Padded Quiltings or Drills	7

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2 From centre of back to elbow.
From elbow to wrist for length of sleeve.
3 Round the Chest underneath Coat.
4 „ Waist „
5 Full height of figure.
FOR VEST.
6 From back of Neck over Shoulder to length of Vest required in front.
Chest and Waist Measure.
FOR TROUSERS.
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Double voyaged, and of remarkably fine quality.
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from Rs. 9 to Rs. 50 each.
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in a variety of forms, per packet
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from Rs. 1 to Rs. 1-4 per tin or bottle.
OVERLAND TRUNKS
from Rs. 21 to Rs. 30.
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completely fitted
from Rs. 9 to Rs. 15.
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from Rs. 2-8 to Rs. 12.
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Basil, Black, or Solid Leather,
from Rs. 13-8 to Rs. 33.
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from Rs. 1 to Rs. 5.
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from Rs 10-8 to Rs. 30.
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Five per cent. Debenture Loan 1866-67	103¼
15 years' Debenture Loans	108¼
10 years' do. do.	107
5 years' do. do.	103½
Six per cent. Municipal Loan	98

BANK OF BOMBAY

Government Securities	8 per cent.
Mercantile Bills	10 per cent.

CALCUTTA—20TH MARCH 1869.

Government Securities.—Some heavy amounts of 4 per cents. were purchased by speculators and others at Rs. 6-14 6-12 and 6-8 discount; in the afternoon several sellers came in the market, and prices had downward tendency. 5 per cents. of 1856-57, and 5½ per cents. were enquired after at advanced rates; purchases of the latter were reported at Rs. 11-12 and 12-0 premium.

Bank of Bengal shares were bought, for investment orders, at Rs. 1,646¼.

National Bank shares changed hands at Rs. 137 and 137½.

A sale of East Indian Railway stock took place at Rs. 240 per £20.

Four or five transactions in Goosery Cotton Mills Co.'s shares were reported at Rs. 205.

Port Canning Land Investment, &c. Co.'s shares were in great demand, and a large number bought up, for time and cash, at all prices, from Rs. 275 to 300. It was rumoured that some very advantageous arragements are in progress, but particular did not transpire.

DAILY COTTON MARKET REPORT.

BOMBAY, 24TH MARCH 1869.
Per Candy.

NEW.

Oomrawuttee Akote		273 to 274
Hingunghat		280 to 282
Broach	N.G.	270 to 272
Do.	M.G.	285 to 286
Veeravul		255 to 258
Khandeish Barsee		270 to 272
Dhollera Bhownuggur		275 to 276
Vingorla		255 to 257
Dharwar, Sawginned		290 to 295

Ready sales 1,875. Market firm.

RAILWAY RETURNS.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.

Statement of Traffic Week ending 21st March, 1869.

Open 874 Miles.	Rs.	a.	p.
Coaching	81,456	13	7
Merchandize	3,36,344	7	6
Electric Telegraph	1,288	6	0
Earth Trains	4,111	8	0
Total Rs.	4,23,201	3	1
Corresponding week last year open 873¼ Miles Total Rs.	4,71,416	12	10
Decrease	48,215	9	9

BOMBAY, BARODA, AND CENTRAL INDIA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the Week ending 20th March 1869.

Open 307¼ Miles.	Rs.	a.	p.
Coaching	41,073	1	1
Merchandize	74,941	14	4
Back Bay Earth Trains	2,623	10	3
Electric Telegraph	770	10	0
Total Rs.	1,19,409	3	8

Corresponding week in March 1868.

Open 306 Miles.	Rs.	a.	p.
Coaching	40,945	0	1
Merchandize	55,340	5	7
Back Bay Earth Trains	5,192	0	3
Electric Telegraph	591	12	0
Total Rs.	1,02,069	1	11
Increase	17,340	1	9

MILITARY.

ARRIVALS.—MARCH 25.

White, Surgeon Major, Staff, on duty, from Poona.
Powell, Lieutenant Colonel, H. M.'s 26th Native Infantry, on furlough, from Baroda.
Howey, Captain, 14th Bengal Lancers, on furlough, from Meerut.

DEPARTURES.—MARCH 25.

Sawyer, Lieutenant, 8th Regiment, from leave, to Poona.
Howard, Assistant Surgeon, Royal Artillery, on medical certificate, to England.
Hutton, Captain, 1-23rd Foot, on duty, to England.
Lloyd, Lieutenant, 1-23rd Foot, on duty, to England.
Hughes, Lieutenant, 1st Royal, on duty, to England.
White, Surgeon Major, Staff, on duty, to Poona.
Powell, Colonel, H. M.'s 26th Native Infantry, on furlough, to England.
Howey, Captain, 14th Bengal Lancers, on furlough, to England.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY.

(Bombay Government Gazette, March 25.)

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Captain E. J. McNair, 1st Wing Subaltern Her Majesty's 24th (Punjab) Regiment N. I., is allowed furlough to Europe for two years, on medical certificate, under the Furlough Regulations of 1868 :—

The following extract (paragraphs 2 and 3) of a Despatch from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India, dated 11th February 1869, No. 11, is published for general information :—

"The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officers have been granted extensions of leave for the period specified, viz :—

Lieutenant Colonel H. Stanley, 1 month.
Captain T. P. B. Walsh 1 year, from 28th April 1868.
Captain J. G. Watts, 2 months.
Captain F. W. Jones, 3 months.
Lieutenant G. A. F. Nicholls, 6 months.
Lieutenant H. H. D. Owen, 4 months.
Surgeon A. M. Rogers, 1 week.
Conductor J. Furlong, 6 months.

"Lieutenant A. C Hunter has been allowed to resign the Service from the 29th May 1867."

The services of Lieutenant W. W. Haywood, 11th Regiment N. I., are placed at the disposal of the Government of India for employment under the Government of the North-West Provinces.

General Order No. 600, dated 16th September 1868, is not applicable to the cases of Native Recruits declared unfit, or to pensioners.

Surgeon A. V. Ward, Presidency Surgeon 1st District, and Professor of Midwifery Grant Medical College, is allowed furlough to Europe, for two years, on medical certificate, under Rule 15th of the Furlough Regulations of 1868.

The services of Captain C. Dodd, Staff Corps, First Class Deputy Collector in Sind, have been replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

The services of Major F. S. Hewett, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

Major J. Watson, C.B., V.C. Bombay Staff Corps, having elected the Furlough Rules of 1868, the portion of the leave to Europe enjoyed by that officer after the 1st July 1868, under G. O. No. 178 dated 13th March 1867, is to be considered as furlough under Clause 4, Rule XXXIV. and Rule XV. of the Furlough Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant Colonel J. W. W. Osborne, C.B., Madras Staff Corps, Political Agent, Bhopal, is allowed furlough to Europe for two years, on medical certificate, under the Furlough Regulations of 1868 :—

Acting Conductor D. McMorrow of the Ordnance Department, is allowed furlough to Europe for eighteen months on medical certificate.

Major H. G. Robison, 20th Regiment N. I., performed the duties of Brigade Major, Deesa, from the 29th November 1868, to the 2nd January 1869 inclusive, during the absence on leave of Captain T. A. E. Hall.

Captain L. H. Sibthorpe, Staff Corps, Officiating Wing Officer 6th Regiment N. I., is allowed furlough to Europe for two years under Rule 9th of the Furlough Regulations of 1868

Consequent on the appointment of Lieutenant Colonel J. Thacker to act as Examiner of the Commissariat, Barrack, and Clothing Departments, the following arrangements are ordered in the Commissariat Department, to have effect from instant, the date of departure of Major Gray on furlough to Europe :—

Major L. M. Davis, Acting Deputy Assistant Commissary General Second Class, to be Acting Deputy Assistant Commissary General First Class.

Captain A. M. Shewell, Acting Sub-Assistant Commissary General First Class, to be Acting Deputy Assistant Commissary General Second Class.

With reference to G. G. O. No. 146 of 1868, Warrant Officers of the superior grades will receive First Class accommodation on board of Her Majesty's Indian troop ships according to their relative * rank, with Commissioned Officers of the Army, and will pay for their own and their families' messing at the same rates as Commissioned Officers. All others Warrant Officers will be provided with Second Class accommodation or, if this be not available, with the next best which these ships afford, and they will pay messing contribution for themselves and families at the rates noted in the margin.

* Deputy Commissaries as Captains.
Assistant Commissaries as Lieutenants.
Deputy Assistant Commissaries as Ensigns.

For themselves... 1s. a day.
„ Wife......... 4d. a day.
„ Child above 2 years old......... 2d. a day.

When accommodation cannot be provided in a troop ship, whether Government or chartered, for a Warrant Officer of either of the above-mentioned grades, a passage in a sailing vessel will be taken for him by the Assistant Quarter Master General, Bombay, through the Superintendent of Marine, suitable to his rank, and the Warrant Officer will be liable to deduction for his messing at the rate he would have paid if he had gone in a troop ship, but he must make his own arrangements for the passage and messing of his family, if any.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The following temporary appointments are confirmed :—By Commander G. T. Robinson, I. N., Superintendent of Marine.

Mr. W. Smith was, as a temporary measure, appointed Acting Master Sailmaker of the Dockyard from the 21st January 1869.

Mr. J. Brennan was appointed Acting Sub-Conductor in the Marine Stores from the 1st January 1869, to fill a vacancy.

Mr. J. M. B. de Ramos was appointed Clerk of Her Majesty's Gunboat "Clyde," from the 15th January 1869, vice Mr. Michael Malone, discharged.

Mr. H. P. Todd, 2nd Officer, late of the Gunboat "Clyde" rejoined the "Clyde" from the 15th January 1869.

Lieutenant Carew, Dock Master, was employed on special duty from the 13th to 17th January 1869, each day inclusive, while employed marking the entrance of Bancoot River.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Mr. J. G. Moore, Assistant Commissioner in Sind, officiated as Commissioner in Sind from the 14th December 1868 to the 12th January 1869, both days inclusive.

The Right Honourable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Assistant Surgeon R. Bowman, of the 3rd Regiment Sind Horse, to be Surgeon to the Khelat Agency.

Major G. W. Macauley, Commanding 1st Regiment Sind Horse, is appointed to act as Assistant Political Superintendent on the Upper Sind Frontier.

Captain L. Russell officiated as Second Political Assistant in Kattywar from 5th November 1868 to 7th January 1869, inclusive, and as Third Political Assistant from 8th January to 7th February 1869, inclusive.

Lieutenant G. E. Hancock officiated as Third Political Assistant in Kattywar from 5th November 1868 to 7th January 1869, inclusive, and as Fourth Political Assistant from 8th January to 18th February, 1869, inclusive.

Mr. Muckundraee Munirae officiated as Fourth Political Assistant in Kattywar from 5th November 1868 to 7th January 1869, inclusive.

Mr. Krishnajee Luxmon officiated as Assistant Political Agent in Katywar from 7th January to 18th February 1869, inclusive.

Mr. Girdhurlall Oolutram officiated as First Extra Assistant Political Agent in Kattywar from 5th November 1868 to 7th January 1869 inclusive, and as Second Extra Assistant Political Agent from 8th January to 7th February 1869 inclusive.

Mr. J. Crawley officiated as Second Extra Assistant Political Agent from 5th November 1868 to 7th January 1869 inclusive, and as Third Extra Assistant Political Agent from 8th January to 7th February 1869, inclusive.

Captain Lechmere Russell, Acting Fourth Political Assistant in Kattywar, is appointed to act as Third Political Assistant.

Lieutenant G. E. Hancock, Acting Assistant Political Agent in Kattywar, is appointed to act as Fourth Political Assistant, vice Captain Russell.

Mr. Krishnajee Luxmon, First Extra Assistant Political Agent in Kattywar, is appointed to act as Assistant to the Political Agent till further orders.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

Mr. T. M. Mason appointed to act as First Assistant Collector of Poona, is invested with the powers of a Magistrate in the Poona District.

Captain W. H. Wilson, Acting District Superintendent of Police in the Kaira District, is invested with the powers of a Magistrate in that district.

The Right Honourable the Governor in Council is pleased, under the provisions of Section 21 of Act XV. of 1865, to appoint Mr. Rustomjee Framroze to be a delegate to aid in the adjudication of cases in the Parsee District Matrimonial Court of Kurrachee, vice Mr. Sapoorjee Hormusjee Soopareewalla, resigned.

Mr. M. B. Baker, Acting Assistant Judge and Session Judge at Dharwar, was in charge of the Dharwar Adawlut from 1st to 9th February 1869, and not 8th February 1869 as notified under date 24th idem.

Mr. J. J. Saldanha, Principal Sudder Ameen of the District of Dharwar, made the necessary declaration of office, as required by (Bombay) Act VI. of 1866, on the 15th instant.

Nuwab Syud Sirazool Hoossein Peerzada is invested with the powers of a Subordinate Magistrate of the Second Class in the Ahmednuggur District.

Azum Bulwuntrao Seetaram, B. A., Probationary Mamlutdar of Beejapoor, is invested with the powers of a Subordinate Magistrate of the Second Class in the Kulladghee District.

Azum Gopalrao Myral, First Carkoon of Talooka Jamnair, is invested with the powers of a Subordinate Magistrate of the Second Class in the Khandeish District.

Azum Chimnajee Vittul' First Carkoon of Petta Jykheira, Talooka Baglan, is invested with the powers of a Subordinate Magistrat of the Second Class in the Khandeish District.

The following order is confirmed :—

Deesa Brigade Order, dated 2nd March 1869, directing Captain Jenkins, 1st Cavalry, to receive charge of the duties of Cantonment Magistrate, Deesa, vice Lieutenant Colonel Hathway, proceeded on medical certificate.

Baron A. J. DeH. Larpent is appointed to be Joint Judge of Poona.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Mr. F. R. S. Wyllie, Acting Under Secretary to Government in the Revenue, Financial, and General Departments acted as Collector of Bombay and Superintendent of Stamps and Stationery from 6th February to 17th March 1869, oth days inclusive.

Mr. A. A. C. Jervoise, Acting Sub-Collector and Magistrate of Sholapoor, is allowed two months' privilege leave of absence from 4th April next.

Mr. Oomedram Runchordass performed the duties of Second Assistant Collector of Surat from 11th June 1868 to 23rd February 1869.

Mr. Vishnoo Moreshwar Bhiday, performed the duties of Second Assistant Collector of Rutnagherry from 19th December 1868 to 28th February 1869.

Mr. H. M. Grant, appointed to act as Superintendent, Tanna and Rutnagherry Survey, is vested with the powers of an Assistant Collector, under Section VI. of Act I. of 1865, in the districts of Poona, Tanna, and Rutnagherry.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

Mr. F. R. S. Wyllie, Acting Under Secretary to Government, is allowed privilege leave for one month.

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT.

The appointment of the Reverend W. J. Ffennell to act as Joint Chaplain of Poona on return from England, notified in Government notification dated 24th February 1869, is cancelled.

The Reverend J. H. T. Blunt, M.A., Chaplain of Ahmedabad, is appointed Joint Chaplain of Poona.

The Reverend W. Clark, M.A., is appointed to act as Chaplain of Ahmedabad, visiting Kaira, on being relieved from his present duty at Colaba.

The Reverend C. Kirk, Chaplain of Rajcote and Bhooj, is appointed to act as Chaplain of Aden, vice the Reverend W. H. Cummins, proceeding home on medical certificate.

INDO-EUROPEAN TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

Mr. F. Hirz, Electrician, officiated as Engineer, Submarine Cable, during the period that Lieutenant Stiff overstayed his privilege leave to Europe, viz, from the 8th to 25th June 1868, inclusive.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Mr. T. Selby, Second Examiner Pay Department, is allowed to retire from the service on a good service pension of £500 a year. Mr. Selby has served Government for forty-six years and His Excellency in Council will have the pleasure to make known to Her Majesty's Secretary of State the uniform witness to Mr. Selby's worth which the several chiefs of his department throughout that time have borne, and which calls for the public acknowledgment by Government, which His Excellency in Council is glad hereby to give.

NOTIFICATIONS BY THE REVENUE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

NORTHERN DIVISION.

Captain W. H. Wilson, Acting Superintendent of Police, Kaira, recieved charge of his Office from Mr. Henry J. Duggan, Inspector of Police in that district, on the 11th instant, in the afternoon.

Captain W. H. Wilson, delivered over charge of the office of Superintendent of Police, Punch Mahals, to Lieutenant W. R. Westmacott, Assistant Superintendent of Police in that district, on the 8th instant, in the afternoon.

Mr. Hector Cameron, Acting Assistant Superintendent of Police, Surat, received charge of his office from Major W. H. Shortt, Superintendent of Police, on the 13th instant, in the forenoon.

Captains F. H. Segrave and W. T. Brown, respectively delivered over and received charge of the office of District Superintendent of Police, Ahmedabad, on the 12th instant, in the forenoon.

Captain W. H. Wilson, Acting District Superintendent of Police, Kaira, is allowed privilege leave of absence for one month.

Mr. Oomedram Runchordass, District Deputy Collector in the Punch Mahals, assumed charge of his office on the 8th instant, before office hours.

Ruttonjee Shapoorjee Chotna, Head Master of the English School at Neriad, is appointed a member of the Municipality of that town.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

Mr. A. K. Nairne, Acting First Assistant to the Collector and Magistrate of Poona is allowed one month's privilege leave of absence from the 11th instant.

Messrs. A. K. Nairne and E. T. Candy respectively delivered over and received charge of the office of First Assistant to the Collector and Magistrate of Poona, on the 11th instant, in the forenoon.

Mr. G. Larcom and Captain H. Daniell respectively delivered over and received charge of the office of Superintendent of Police, Ahmednuggur, on the 26th February 1869, in the forenoon.

Mr. C. R. Ovans delivered over charge of the office of Extra First Assistant at Nassick, to the Collector and Magistrate of Ahmednuggur, Mr. D'Oyly, on the 16th instant, in the afternoon.

Mr. Amrootrow Tatia, Hospital Assistant, in charge of the Bagulkote Dispensary, is appointed Municipal Commissioner for the Town of Bagulkote, in the Kulladghee District, vice Govind Naik bin Nursapa Naik, deceased.

Mr. H. Ingle, Deputy Collector, Canara, is allowed one month's privilege leave under Section XVI. of the Uncovenanted Service Absentee Rules.

The following transfers of Mamlutdars in the Ahmednuggur Collectorate are sanctioned :—

Azum Hurree Narayen, First Class Mamlutdar, from the Nassick to the Sheogaum Talooka.

Azum Gunesh Narayen, First Class Mamlutdar, from the Sheogaum to the Nassick Talooka.

NOTIFICATIONS BY THE COMMISSIONER IN SIND.

Captain W. A. Gillespie is transferred to the Kurrachee Collectorate, and received charge of the office of Deputy Collector of Sehwan, on the 3rd February 1869, before noon, from Captain F. J. T. Ross.

Meer Ameer Ali Khan, First Class Extra Assistant Collector and Magistrate in the Shikarpoor Collectorate, has been allowed privilege leave for three months.

Assistant Surgeons H. R. L. MacDougall, M. D., 1st Regiment Sind Horse, and E. A. Lawrence, 30th Regiment N. I., or Jacob's Rifles, respectively delivered over and received charge of the duties of Civil Surgeon at Jacobabad on the 12th instant, before office hours.

NOTIFICATION BY THE CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS.

Messrs. C. A. Morphew and W. Williams, respectively delivered over and received charge of the office of the Deputy Conservator of Forest, Tanna, on the 17th March 1869, after office hours.

NOTIFICATIONS BY THE INSPECTOR GENERAL INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Assistant Surgeon J. Davidson, General duty, Presidency, is appointed to perform the duties of the Assistant Surgeon to the European General Hospital, Bombay, from the 1st instant, on which date Assistant Surgeon Dymock relinquished charge.

Assistant Surgeon J. Keith has performed the duties of Civil Surgeon at Shikarpoor from 19th November 1868.

SHIPPING.

DAILY FREIGHT REPORT—25TH MARCH.

London	Cotton	£2 5s. 0d. to £2 7s. 6d. per ton.
	Seeds	£1 0s. 0d. Nominal.
Liverpool	Cotton	£1 10s. 0d. to £1 15s. 0d. „
	Seeds	£1 5s. 0d. „
Overland	Cotton	£7 0s. 0d. p. 40 c. ft.
China	Sailing vessel Cotton	Nominal.
	Steamer do.	Rs. 6 to 7 per bale.
	„ Opium	Rs. 10 to 15 per chest.
Calcutta	Salt	Rs. 5 per ton.
Mauritius	Grain	12 annas per bag.

ARRIVALS.

Mar.	Vessel.	Commander.	From.
24	Mula (s)	Winkler	Bussorah, March 10.
25	Zephyr	Porter	Boston, Dec. 10.
	Ellisif	Hauge	Newcastle, Oct. 23.
	Stag	Ellis	Mauritius, Feb. 1.

DEPARTURES.

Mar.	Vessel.	Commander.	Destination.
25	Thomas Seddon	Mesnard	Liverpool.
	Bonnie Dundee	Connor	Liverpool.
	Lord Clyde (s)	Hewitt	Cutch Mandvee.

The following vessels obtained their port clearances yesterday :—
Ship David Malcolm, Anton, to Havre.
Barque Keerata Roodrin, Nacoda, to Colombo.

The following vessels began to load yesterday :—
Steamer China, to China.
Ship Aurington, to Liverpool.

CALCUTTA.

DEPARTURES.

Mar. 20	Rangoon (s)	—	—
	Kearsage	—	—
	Cannata	—	—

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Bombay, 24th October 1868.

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DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

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BOMBAY.

BIRTH

SWIFT—March 24th, at Byculla, the wife of Mr. Alfred Swift, of a son.

The Bombay Gazette

FRIDAY, MARCH 26, 1869.

LIKE political emergencies produce like political effects, and the hint in the *Pioneer* that the Supreme Government contemplates the establishment of a Political Department for the Frontier reminds us that there was once a Political Agent of the Governor General who occupied a similar post. Of course we do not know whether any Department, like that adumbrated by the Allahabad journal— sometimes guilty of a serious hoax—will be established, still less its extent and the functions of the Agent, or Secretary. We refer to the report, because it is suggestive of a larger measure to which we invite attention.

Any one who looks at the map will see that the frontier is split into two parts. The Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab watches a long line, from the boundaries of Eastern Turkistan to the landmarks of Sind, including the principal passes, and in contact with the principal tribes of the mountain land. But below Mithun Kote, where the Indus receives the waters of many streams and rolls in one current towards the sea, a fresh authority assumes the duty. The Governor of Bombay becomes the frontier authority in Sind and Beloochistan, and vigilantly watches an important line beyond which abide tribes scarcely less turbulent than those of the Upper Indus. What we should like to know is whether any valid political and military reason dictate this break in the cordon? Are there circumstances which make it desirable that two governments, one nearly independent of the other, should have the guardianship of our great western boundary line? We can imagine one or two. First, Sind and Beloochistan have their natural communications with the strength of the empire through Bombay, and next, it is most convenient that the Bombay army should furnish the permanent defensive force for the Lower Indus. But these are not conclusive reasons. The natural communications of many places are with Bombay, and many places are garrisoned by our army over which our Governor has no authority. It seems to us that Sind was given over to Bombay, not as the result of some wise plan, but as a mere matter of necessity; and that if it be shown that the necessity has ceased, it may follow that the division should cease also. We should remember that the frontier itself, and the whole condition of the frontier have changed since Lord Ellenborough's policy gave us Sind. We have now in prospect—however remote, yet still in prospect—Russian power probably, Russian influence certainly. It is no longer the border tribes, the Persians and the Afghans, who have to be dealt with—it is all these *plus* the effect which the approach and potential presence of Russia may have on them. In a military point of view the strength of a frontier may be said to be its weakest place, but practically no frontier is impermeable, and the facility for breaking through is only a question of degree. But to watch it properly, take advantage of its strength, and guard against its weakness, a frontier should be treated as a whole. If there is division there is the risk that some points may receive more, and some less, attention than is their due. On this very line are there not those who see *the* greatest danger impending from the side of Yarkand, and who advocate a pet policy intended to parry it; are there not others who detect the fatal menace in the Afghan mountains, and who sigh for a forward move to the watershed of the Indus; and have we not some among us who perceive hosts coming by Seistan? Such being the case, would it not be politic to create a new Political Government, unite in one mass the whole frontier from Cashmere to the Sea, and appoint a really able man to be Warden of the Marches? Instead of a mere frontier political department, like that hinted at by the *Pioneer*, which would be a half measure, and would perhaps cause further friction, why not create a Governorship of the Indus? Certainly such a plan would not only render defence and offence easier, in case of real peril, but would conduce to unity of policy throughout the whole line. Such an officer would be able to execute effectively the orders of the Supreme Government, while the archives of the capital of his dominion would contain, if he did his work well, invaluable information all drawn to a head, and readily available should danger approach. Until some such plan be adopted we have the gravest doubts whether any real force and effective unity can be given to the military and political policy which a great State should carry out on the exposed frontier of its power.

THE majority in the House of Commons in favour of the second reading of the Irish Church Bill far exceeds that which carried the second reading of Corn Law Repeal in 1846. It is rare in the history of Parliament that any measure of such magnitude is sustained, not only by a majority of members present, but by a majority of the whole House. Though not the largest division on record—634 have been personally present—it will probably be seen, when the full details arrive, that nearly, if not quite, the full tale of the House took part in the grand division. Some seats are vacant, perhaps a dozen; some member, perhaps more than one, is certain to be ill; but when the pairs are added it will in all likelihood be found that save some twenty or five and twenty voices, those of the Speaker and the Tellers included, the whole House of Commons was present at the death-bed of the Irish Church. Last year only a majority of 65—it was thought large then—could be obtained in support of the Suspensory Bill. The 65 has grown into 118—within twelve of double the number. After this decisive vote the House of Lords will scarcely dare to reject the Bill. They surrendered the Corn Laws—which they believed to mean high rents—to a majority of 90; and they are not likely to throw out the Irish Church Bill in the teeth of a majority of 118 on a division, and a majority of 39 on the whole House, Speaker and all. The immense danger to the Peers involved in the rejection of a popular Bill, sanctioned by the country, has thus been avoided, and we are glad of it, because there is yet work for an Hereditary House, although its end must come sooner or later. The whole aim of the Conservatives will now be to fritter away the value of the measure and to secure all the advantages they can for the holders of property. It is plain from Sir Roundell Palmer's speech that in Committee Mr. Gladstone's majority will be impaired; but it is not probable that any diminution in the majority can take place sufficiently large to defeat the moral effect of the division on the second reading. The great value of the vote lies in the fact that it renders a successful opposition by the Peers impossible.

ACCORDING to custom we give our establishment a holiday on Good Friday. To-morrow, therefore, the "Gazette" will not be issued.

WE hear on excellent authority that the Duke of Argyll has appointed Mr. Justice Tucker to be Member of Council in the room of Mr. Ellis. We have no doubt of the correctness of our information.

MAJOR G. W. MACAULEY, Commanding 1st Regiment Sind Horse, has been appointed to act as Assistant Political Superintendent on the Upper Sind Frontier.

THE Rev. J. H. T. Blunt, at present at Ahmedabad, has been appointed Joint Chaplain of Poona; the appointment of the Rev. W. J. Ffennell to act in that capacity on his return from England, being cancelled. The Rev. W. Clark, on being relieved from his present duty at Colaba, will act as Chaplain of Ahmedabad in Mr. Blunt's place. The Rev. C. Kirk is to act as Chaplain of Aden.

THE Governor General in Council has exempted from stamp duties under Act X. of 1862 all tenders on account of the loan advertized in the Notification published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary* of 16th March 1869. It has also been declared that "Government securities blank-endorsed will, at the option of parties tendering, be accepted in lieu of the deposit of cash or cheques required with all tenders in pledge that any allotment made will be fully taken up."

IN spite of his singular *nom de plume*, a correspondent, whose letter appears elsewhere, commands our thorough sympathy. We altogether question the taste, the propriety, the right of using Elephanta Cave as a chapel on Good Friday. It may be an excess of zeal or of sentimentality that is to blame. A Christian missionary holding forth in the presence of the Trimurti—in an ancient stronghold of Heathenism, from whose walls countless centuries look down upon him,—is nice to think of, nice to speak of, might be nice even to write a chapter about in one's autobiography. But every one except Mr. Keer must see that people don't want it—that they object to being button-holed in this manner, even by a padre. And if the ringing laugh of a ship-captain wakes the echoes of the caves when the reverend gentleman is praying, or the uncorking of a soda-water bottle emphasises with objectionable vigour his most impressive periods, he has only himself to thank. We hope Mr. Keer will think better of it. The impatience of the entrapped pleasure-seekers—the interrupted merriment—the dance undanced—the tiffin deferred which maketh the heart and all the body sick—the corks eager to fly from a hundred bottles—the compulsory attention to a sermon of which, probably, the only delighted hearer is the preacher himself;—let Mr. Keer think of all these things and do some of his fellow-creatures the great service of leaving them alone.

THE Governor General in Council has ordered that postage stamps, impressed on envelopes or note paper, shall not be recognized in payment of postage when cut or otherwise detached from the envelopes or paper on which they were impressed.

WE observe that Lord Napier of Magdala has sent General Grant one of the late King Theodore's Arabic Bibles. It is, the "Continental Gazette" states, written on the finest vellum, richly illuminated with notes in Amheric characters, bound in scarlet and gold, and was one of the gems of the royal library. "In addition to its rarity as a trophy of the late ruler of Abyssinia—who could quote Scripture better than he could live it—the letter from Lord Napier accompanying it has still rarer value, as a tribute of honest admiration from the great captain of the Old World to the greatest captain of the New."

RESOLUTION No. 122, passed in the Financial Department of the Government of India on the 6th January 1869, regarding the acting allowances of Uncovenanted Servants, was not intended, it is intimated, to reduce allowances which were being drawn at the time of its promulgation under rules previously in force.

THE Governor General in Council has ruled that when an officer in the service of Government is authorized to take service in a Government school or institution, or on any establishment under Government control, which service is remunerated otherwise than by the State' and does not therefore count for pension, his previous service shall remain at his credit as service toward pension in case of his re-entering the regular service of Government without any other break than that herein described.

AT the meeting of the Viceregal Legislative Council held on the 19th instant, the Hon'ble Mr. Shaw Stewart moved that the report of the select committee on the bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to the district and subordinate Civil Courts in the Presidency of Bombay, be taken into consideration. In briefly reviewing the amendments made in the bill by the select committee, Mr. Shaw Stewart said that the committee had adopted the proposal made by his hon'ble friend and had altered Section 12, so as to enable the Government of Bombay to transfer from one district to another, as the state of business required, a joint Judge whose appointment had been sanctioned by the Governor General in Council, so long as that sanction should remain in force. With regard to Section 22 he was glad to say that the recommendation of the Bombay Government that the appointment o Subordinate Judges should be vested in the Governor in Council, had been adopted by the committee. The committee had exempted from repeal so much of the regulation 11 of 1827 as forbids the interference of the Civil Courts in caste questions.—The motion that the report be taken into consideration was then put and carried. Several amendments, mostly of a verbal character, were moved by Mr. Shaw Stewart and carried, and the bill, as amended, was passed.

THE Income Tax Act received the assent of the Governor General on the 18th instant.

THE Act to amend the law relating to the Emigration of Native Labourers received the assent of the Governor General on the 5th instant.

IT is said that the 8th Regiment N. I. is to be detained at Singapore, until the Imperia Government has decided how to garrison tha settlement.

OFFICIAL accounts of the investigation into the causes of the late fire at the Railway store godowns at Howrah show that the fire was purely accidental, owing to the overheating of some cotton waste which possibly got impregnated with oil.

THE Governor General in Council has laid down regulations for the disposal of applications for furlough from members of the Bengal Ecclesiastical Establishment, or members of the Madras or Bombay Ecclesiastical Establishments employed in the Diocese of Calcutta. These regulations are published in the *Gazette of India*.

COLONEL ANDERSON, of Madras, has been selected by the Supreme Government to succeed Colonel Strachey as Inspector General of Irrigation Works; and in making the selection, the Government of India remarks that Colonel Anderson's known ability and large experience, both in Northern and Southern India, render him peculiarly fitted to hold the important post vacated by Colonel Strachey.

DURING January last the amount collected in the Bombay Presidency on account of Licence Tax was Rs. 136-13-4, or, deducting refunds, Rs. 122-9-4. In respect of the Professions and Trade Tax the gross collections amounted to Rs. 32,161-11-3 and the net collections (that is, deducting refunds) to Rs. 30,831-1-0. The gross collections on account of the Stamp Revenue amounted to Rs. 3,71,979-1-5, and the net collections to Rs. 3,67,013-4-4.

COLONEL MEADE telegraphed to the Government of India on the 28th February—"Much distress is reported in some villages of the State bordering Jubbulpore Railway. The Chiefs have been strongly urged by me to adopt proper measures of relief, but as some of the poor people may have come from British districts for employment on railway works, I solicit sanction to a special grant of two thousand (2,000) rupees for issue in relief by Political Assistant. Relief works will be opened by Public Works Department in neighbourhood if practicable." To this a telegram in reply was sent on the following day, approving of a grant of two thousand rupees as an exceptional and temporary measure.

THE scarcity of Covenanted Medical officers in Bengal has, says the "Englishman," assumed such a serious aspect, that the Lieutenant Governor has been obliged to bring the subject to the notice of the Government of India. Since the Medical stations were re-classified in September last, His Honor has been obliged to appoint several Uncovenanted officers to the charge of large stations, and no less than nine stations, which according to the classification should be held by Covenanted officers, are at present under the charge of Uncovenanted officers. The Inspector General of Hospitals says that he cannot spare any officers from their military duties. His Honor, therefore, has appealed to the Government of India, on the grounds that the present strength of the Service is inadequate for the requirements of the country.

THERE is a long parallelogram block of a book—adorned with a stamped illustration in gilt on the outside, and a facsimile printed on the frontispiece, of a long limbed lady utterly destitute of clothing—which one finds in most mercantile offices. This book is known as the French "Veritas," and the nude lady is probably meant to represent undorned truth from a purely French point of view. According to this excellent authority the number of vessels totally lost during the year 1868 was 2.371, of which 2,261 were sailing vessels and 110 steamers. The number of total losses in 1866 was 2,932, and in 1867, 3,045. Of the vessels lost in 1868 no less than 1,122 bore the British flag, 253 were American, 210 French, 203 North German, 103 Dutch, 71 Norwegian, and 50 Italian. As 1868 was a year of storms, the decline in the number of the casualties as compared with 1866 and 1867, seems to show that vessels are now sent to sea more sea-worthy as to crew and build than they used to be.—*Madras Mail.*

APPENDED is a statement of cash balances in the Government treasuries in India, at the close of the month of January last, contrasted with that of the two previous years :—

	January 1867.	January 1868.	January 1869.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Government of India	65,43,412	33,85,037	39,90,616
Bengal	1,43,60,617	1,70,05,1[illegible]2	1,59,49,657
British Burmah	11,16,006	17,69,290	17,47,859
North-Western Provinces	2,19,59,495	2,26,31,781	1,49,10,319
Oudh	44,84,921	46,49,884	43,56,689
Punjab	96,42,750	98,89,6[illegible]	90,93,841
Bombay	2,06,86,156	2,32,32,427	1,52,76,987
Central Provinces	36,01,732	48,77,889	49,15,964
Madras	2,06,57,898	2,16,74,730	1,85,22,703
	10,30,52,987	10,91,06,741	8,87,68,635
Berars	50,58,594	*	*
Total	10,81,11,581	......	......

* The cash balance of the Berars is omitted; their revenues and charges being excluded from those of the Government of India from April 1867.

INVENTIONS.

THE undermentioned specifications of inventions have been filed, under the provisions of Act XV. of 1859, in the office of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department. Copies have been sent to one of the Secretaries to each of the Governments of Bengal, Fort St. George, Bombay, and the North-Western Provinces :—

Mr. Thomas McMeekin, manager of Doodputtee Tea Garden in Cachar, for improving the manufacture of tea.

Mr. William Judson Addis, Civil Engineer of Tanna, in the Bombay Presidency, for securing keys of wood or any other material for permanent way by means of nuts, bolts, or dognails, washers, &c.

Mr. J. W. Robertson, Bombay Civil Service, for an improved permanent way key for securing rails in railway chairs and wedge for general purposes.

PORT AND NAVIGATION DUES IN SPANISH COLONIES.

THE *Gazette of India* publishes a correspondence which has taken place between the India Office and Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and from which it appears that the Spanish Government have issued a decree removing differential duties with regard to port and navigation dues in the Spanish Colonies in favour of such countries as are in a position to declare that reciprocal privileges are conceded within their ports as to Spanish vessels.

The India Office asked the Foreign Office "how far Her Majesty's Government will be justified in making a declaration such as that required by the terms of the decree in so far as British India is concerned."

To this a reply was sent on 4th February to the effect that the several Acts of the Legislative Council of India, which regulate the imposition of port dues, draw no distinction between British vessels and vessels of foreign origin, and that no differential duties or prohibitions now exist in British India in favour of Great Britain, but that the produce of foreign countries is in all respects on the same footing as that of the United Kingdom and the British Colonies.

The Duke of Argyll transmitted a copy of the correspondence to the Governor General of India in Council.

ACTING ALLOWANCES OF MILITARY OFFICERS IN CIVIL EMPLOY.

A resolution was passed in the Financial Department of the Government of India on the 30th July 1868 regarding the acting allowances of military officers in civil employ.

A communication from the Public Works Department, dated the 18th ultimo, proposed certain rules regarding the allowances of acting officers in the Railway Department, and revived the question whether a military officer on a staff salary, officiating in a civil appointment on a consolidated salary, should draw the whole or a portion of the staff salary in addition to the usual acting allowance.

On this the following resolution has been passed :—

"The Governor General in Council is pleased to approve of the proposals of the Public Works Department and to decide, on a reconsideration of the question raised in paragraph 6 of the communication from that department, that the following shall be substituted for the first of the rules contained in the resolution No. 1490 passed in this department on the 30th July 1868. A military officer acting in a civil appointment, the salary of which is consolidated, shall, in respect of acting allowances, be subject to the rules promulgated in Orders No. 534 of the Financial Department, dated the 16th June 1868, regarding the acting allowances of covenanted civil officers. *If such officer hold a substantive appointment carrying staff allowances he will retain such allowances in addition to the said acting allowances, subject to the conditions in the said rules.*"

CORRESPONDENCE.

A MEDICAL SUGGESTION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—Recent experiments of the efficacy of ammonia as an antidote to snake-poison, as made in Australia, lead to the belief that little, if any, further trial is necessary for the determination of the question. It only now remains, I think, for Government to rule, through its medical officers, that for the purpose of setting at rest a long-disputed point, the specific shall be generally used throughout India, where death from snake-bite is unfortunately too painfully frequent.

My object, however, in addressing you, is to throw out a suggestion, that if the injection of ammonia into the system be an antidote to snake-poison, it may be equally effectual in reference to the poison of leprosy, or of small-pox : diseases which it will be of vast importance to suffering humanity to find a cure for. The medical profession, who are deeply interested in the cure of these loathsome diseases, may find something in this hint to work upon. It may be worth a trial. If ammonia should fail, the injection of some other medicine, whose properties may be known to be more suitable to the cure of either disease, might be used; and if by this simple means an effective remedy may be obtained, as is obtained by ammonia in snake-poison, or by virus in the prevention of liability to small pox, what a blessing will be conferred on the thousands whose lives are, and have been, a pain and a burden to themselves and to others, and who are objects of both our disgust and our pity.—Yours, &c., SOLO.

Poona, 24th March.

GOOD FRIDAY SERMON AT ELEPHANTA.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—It is with regret and pain that I see a notice, near the head of your local columns of to-day, stating that it is intended to hold Divine Service at the Elephanta Caves on Good Friday, when a sermon will be preached by the Rev. William Brown Keer, Harbour Chaplain S. P. G. I hold a strong opinion that those who wish to attend chapel to-morrow will not grudge to stop in Bombay for that purpose; and I am equally decided in a belief that those who prefer to leave the city,—to enjoy a sail in the open harbour, and to visit the really interesting Island of Elephanta,—ought to be allowed freedom to do so. Our Government does not compel the natives of this country to listen to the sermons of chaplains; and really I am at a loss to see why a European party should not be at liberty to have a "day out" without an S. P. G. missionary being down upon them at mid-day. All praise to those who give proofs of godliness and the other characteristics intimately associated with godliness; and no man more readily accords to the Rev. William Brown Keer, Harbour Chaplain S. P. G., the honour and respect which his qualities deserve. But I must vote him a nuisance *on this occasion*. It's rather bad of him, year after year, to compel people who don't wish to listen to him, either to disturb the compulsory services or else take tiffin in the open air. "There is a time for everything under the sun," but a mid-day meal under the sun is not desirable here at this season, nor is a sermon by Mr. Keer one of the recreations which holiday seekers desire at Elephanta. Therefore this practice ought to be nipped in the bud, and I hope the Rev. W. Brown Keer, Harbour Chaplain S. P. G., will confine his efforts to the harbour, and not carry into execution his threat of going to Elephanta to-morrow. As we are doubtful of his not going, my party won't visit Elephanta to-morrow; but may I hope, for the sake of others, that the intention will not be carried out?—for your notice says only that "we learn it is *intended*" &c.—Yours, SOFT SOAP.

Bombay, 25th March.

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

[PER REUTER'S AGENCY.]

THE IRISH CHURCH BILL.

LARGE MAJORITY FOR THE SECOND READING.

LONDON, 24TH MARCH.

The debate on the second reading of the Irish Church Disestablishment Bill was brought to a close in the House of Commons last night.

Messrs. Gathorne Hardy and Spencer Walpole both opposed the disestablishment of the Irish Church. Mr. Hardy said that the policy of the Government disunited instead of assimilating England and Ireland.

Mr. Gladstone earnestly defended both the expediency and fairness of the measure, but said its details were, however, subject to modification in Committee. The House then divided, and the second reading of the Bill was passed by a majority of 118 votes.

For the second reading 368 votes.
Against do. 250 „

LONDON 22ND MARCH, AFTERNOON.

The Liverpool Cotton Market to-day was firmer. Fair Dhollera 10d.

The ship "Egeria" has arrived from Bombay.

The "Syria," from Southampton, takes out £42,000, in specie for Bombay.

EARTHQUAKE AT LAHORE.

[PER REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LAHORE, 25TH MARCH, 2-45 P. M.

An earthquake was felt here this morning at 6 o'clock.

STIRING EVENTS IN OMAN.

A CORRESPONDENT has placed at our disposal (says the *Englishman*) a history of the late rising in the Wadi Sema'el in Oman, which was suppressed with so determined a hand by the new Sultan of Muscat, Syud Azan bin Ghes. The population of Oman consists of tribes belonging to two distinct races, the Beni Hanavi, who emigrated from Teman, and the Beni Ghafree, who came originally from Neid, and who are even yet to a great extent under the influence of the Ameer of Riad. The people are not only of two distinct races, but their religious beliefs are essentially different. The Hanavi, who are mostly of the Abadee sect do not believe in purgatory, while the Ghaffrees are Wahabees, and so bigoted that they will not address any of the Biad with *salam alekoom*, or, peace to you! but salute them with the simple *kaif haluk*, or, how are you?

When Syud Azan bin Ghes was proclaimed Imaum, it was however with the co-operation of both sections the Hanavi and Ghaffree alike. But this union for a common object did not last long, as the dominant Hanavi, who are as three to two to their rivals, soon showed that they did not intend to permit the latter any share of power. The result was a rising among the four Ghaffree tribes, the Beni Jaber, the Beni Indaba, the Beni Rebeywa and the Beni Siaba. These tribes inhabit a chain of mountains which completely separates the Hanavis of Djailan from their brethren in the Batinah. All the passes are in their hands, so that at any time they are in a position to stop the trade of Muscat with the interior. And they were not long in adopting this course, as a few days before the Eed of Ramzan they treacherously murdered a party of Hanavis, who were returning through the hills to their homes. At first it was thought that this crime was the result of some blood feud; but the real truth soon became known, and then the Muscat authorities began to get alarmed. The Ghaffrees declared their intention of taking the capital and seating a Sultan of their own on the throne. Unfortunately the Imaum was at the time at Birka, a town between Muscat and Sohar, so that Muscat had neither the fear of his presence nor the advantage of his support. All sorts of rumours prevailed, and the Ghaffrees were for the moment represented to be three times as strong as the Hanavis and far more warlike. The Hanavis were also said to be inimical to Syud Azan, and to have refused to aid him. However the Imaum silently collected his adherents who, it turned out, flocked to him form all parts; and when he had mustered about 4,000 men, he without hesitation attacked the intrenched positions of the enemy, who had taken advantage of every crag and ridge to oppose his march. He had some field pieces with him, but finding his gunners of no use, he put himself and his chiefs at the head of his troops, and in two hotly contested engagements fought hand to hand with his antagonists. His courage and energy met with their reward. In four days the rebellion was completely crushed. A Khoja merchant, who came in from Sema'el reported that the slaughter, amongst the Ghaffrees was very great. Every man in Oman now believes that the new Sultan bears a charmed life; at first people said he could only be killed by a sword; but after his two last victories, people say he cannot be killed at all, as he has a destiny to fulfil, and that is to drive the hated Wahabees from the land of Oman. The man who does this will undoubtedly have the heartfelt allegiance of the Amanites. The Imaum it is positively said will certainly attempt it before he is a year older. It is reported that while he was at Sema'el the Wahabees reminded him that tribute was paid to them by Oman, and that they were bound on their part to assist in putting down rebellion They added they were ready to march to his aid. The Sultan is said to have replied "that aid he did not require, and money he did not possess. God had given him, however, a sword and a stout heart, and these were all he could or would give the Wahabees!"

Syud Salem, it is said, has been cheated out of his last possession, Bunder Abbas, by his Vizier Hajee Ahmed, Kababee. The story told is amusing and Oriental in all its characteristics. Soon after Hajee Ahmed returned from his recent visit to Bombay—where, it was said, he met with a very chilling reception from Sir S. Fitzgerald—he prevailed on his master to send a Persian as an envoy to Shiraz with presents to the Shah's brother, who is Viceroy of the Southern Persian provinces, and thus obtain his favour. Accordingly the poor Sultan selected two of the prettiest Circassian damsels from his Harem, denuded the rest of his women of their jewels and with difficulty made up a suitable present to send to the Governor of Fars. These presents Circassians included, reached Shiraz, and in due time the astute Persian, who conveyed them, returned bringing the appointment of Hajee Ahmed as Governor of Bunder Abbas, and the *nishan* or insignia of the exalted order of *the Lion and the Sun*, which the Shah conferred on him on his entering His Majesty's service. During the messenger's absence, the far-seeing Hajee had, on his part not been idle, for he had prevailed on Syud Salem to try his fortunes on the Arabian Coast of the Persian Gulf, at Abothabee; and the poor deluded Prince was actually induced to believe that the British would permit the men of the Beni Yas to aid him by sea, although a month had not elapsed since they had deprived this tribe of all their guns, and fined their Chief at Abothabee a lac of rupees for piracy. However, Syud Salem believed everything and went; and there he has ever since remained the guest alternately of one chief and then of the other, feeling ashamed to return and face the jibes and scorn of his wife and mother at Kism; Hajee Ahmed, meanwhile, doling out funds to meet his actual expenses. According to all accounts the Hajee has already seized the sloop *Prince of Wales*, belonging to Syud Salem, and has either taken the *Rohomany*, or stated openly she was now his property. Syud Salem is not a man to sit idle. He has, or professes to have a claim against the British Government for Rs. 1,50,000. This he will now most probably agitate. Altogether the affairs of the Gulf do not look very peaceful.

BOMBAY.

PASSENGERS BY THE ENGLISH MAIL.—The P. & O. Co.'s steamer *Sumatra*, Captain C. A. White, will sail to-day for Aden and Suez with the following passengers :—

For Southampton.—Mrs. Oakes and five children, Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. J. B. Dennys and two children, Mr. Kempson, Mrs. H. Geydon, Mr. and Mrs. Becyent and three children, Mr. Hogg and infant, Mrs. J. W. Henderson and infant, Miss Maidment, Mr. and Mrs. S. Wilson, Mr. Jenkins, Mrs. Graham, Mr. W. Fawcett, Mr. Geo. Bishop, Mr. William Gray, Colonel and Mrs. Oldenham, Mr. D. M. Marrow, Mr. Henry Knapman, and Mr. Bennett.

For Marseilles.—Mrs. Cautley, Mrs. Ashley, Captain and Mrs. Howey, Colonel J. W. Osborn, Lieutenant Colonel Combe, Major W. H. Paget, and Mr. J. F. Wood.

For Suez.—Captain Huddlestone, Mr. Brown, Major Hall, Lieutenant Colonel J. D. Macdonald, Mr. Bainford, Mr. J. G. Smith, Captain Bartholomew, Mr. Thorburn, Hon. and Mrs. G. Noble Taylor and infant, Captain and Mrs. Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Boswell, Colonel R. R. Powel, and Captain R. G. Sandeman.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—A cartman accidentally fell from a cart on the Esplanade on Wednesday and died on the spot.

ICE.—The American ship *Zephyr*, Captain Porter, which arrived from the Port of Boston yesterday, brought a large quantity of ice and sundries.

VEHAR LAKE.—The height of water in Vehar Lake at the close of last week was 50 feet; on the corresponding date of last year it was 51 feet 3 inches.

MISS CARPENTER is expected to leave Bombay for England by the mail of the 10th April, being, we regret to state, still in ill health. She thinks, however, of returning in November.

LINGAH AND BUNDER ABBAS.—The British Native Agent at Lingah, and Nasir bin Rashid Hydarabadee of Bunder Abbas, have been authorized to issue Bills of Health, to British vessels having for Ottoman ports.

A LECTURE will be delivered by the Rev. R. Stothert, M.A., in the Mission Church, Khetwady, on Monday, the 29th instant, at half-past eight P.M. Subject—Sacrifice; with special reference to Brahmanism. The public are invited to attend.

A CASE FOR THE SESSIONS.—Mahadoo Balla was committed by Mr. Nana Morojee yesterday to take his trial at the ensuing Criminal Sessions of the High Court, for voluntarily causing grievous hurt, by means of a cutting instrument, to a woman named Bhaghee.

THE MINT.—The value of silver ready for coinage in the Bombay Mint at the close of last week was Rs. 1,29,12,417, the value of the silver not [illegible] being Rs. 67,97,022; of the total, Rs. 1,29,02,[illegible] belonged to the Currency Department.

EAST INDIA ASSOCIATION.—We are requested by the Bombay Honorary Agent of the E. I. Association to state that H. H. the Maharaja Holkar has been pleased to give a handsome donation of Rs. 1,000 to the Association.

THE INDO-EUROPEAN TELEGRAPH.—The director of the Indo-European Telegraph forwarded a telegram to Government on Wednesday last, reporting that the cable was right to Fao; that the Turkish line was right to Constantinople; and that the Persian line was interrupted to Shiraz. The latest dates from Great Britain *via* Turkey were 22nd March; *via* Russia, 19th March.

THE CURRENCY.—The following shows the amount of each kind of currency note of the Bombay Circle in circulation on the 22nd March, as compared with the amount in circulation on the 15th instant :—

		22nd March.	15th March.
Rs.	10 Note	Rs. 24,22,180	Rs. 23,98,120
Rs.	20 „	Rs. 14,97,280	Rs. 15,05,800
Rs.	50 „	Rs. 21,87,550	Rs. 21,50,000
Rs.	100 „	Rs. 50,48,700	Rs. 48,84,000
Rs.	500 „	Rs. 16,37,500	Rs. 14,86,500
Rs.	1,000 „	Rs. 3,28,04,000	Rs. 3,29,65,000
	Total	Rs. 4,55,97,210	Rs. 4,53,93,420

CRIMINAL BREACH OF TRUST.—Pheerozshaw Sorabjee, a luggage clerk in the employ of the Bombay, Baroda, and Central India Railway Company, was yesterday brought up on remand before Mr. R. H. Showell, and charged with criminal breach of trust in respect of Rs.2,496 belonging to the Company. Mr. Wilson Warneford said—I am a travelling auditor in the employ of the B. B. and C. I. Railway Company. In the month of February last, in the course of my duty, I examined the books and accounts of Pheerozshaw Sorabjee, a luggage clerk in the employ of the Company, at the Bellasis road station in Bombay. The duty of the prisoner was to issue tickets for luggage carriages, horses, and dogs to be conveyed by the Company and to receive the money for the carriage or freight. I immediately detected an item of Rs. 363-15-6, which had been received by the prisoner in December last, and which had not been paid over to the Company, or in any way accounted for by him. I immediately called on Pheerozshaw for an explanation, and he admitted that the monies had been received by him and not paid over, or accounted for, to the company, and added that there were several more items in the same position. Prisoner then at my request in my presence made out a list of items received and not accounted for, amounting altogether to Rs. 629-5-8. I then asked for the money, and prisoner said he had it at home, and he left the office to fetch it, but has never returned. Subsequently I made a searching examination of the account of the prisoner and I discovered that sums amounting, not to Rs.629-5-8 only, but to Rs. 2,496 had been received by him and not paid over or accounted for as aforesaid. I therefore charge the prisoner with criminal breach of trust under sections 405 and 208 of the Indian Penal Code.—The Magistrate adjourned the case for further enquiry.

MORTUARY RETURNS.—The total number of deaths registered during the week ending Tuesday, 23rd March, was 413, being an increase of 39 as compared with the preceding week, 129 more than the total of the week ending 24th March 1868, and 43 less than the mean of the corresponding period in the previous five years. During the week 61 births were reported.

The following table shows the principal causes of death in the different districts of the city :—

Section or Sub-Section.	Population by Census of 1864.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Fever.	Other diseases.	Accident & Violence.	Unknown Causes.	Total exclusive of still-born.	Total of reported births in the week exclusive of still-born.
Colaba	19,161	1	...	2	5	3	1	...	12	...
Fort, Southern	2,455	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fort, Northern	39,258	...	1	...	4	3	...	...	8	...
Esplanade	7,839	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	3	...
Market	75,402	...	4	2	4	12	1	1	24	9
Mandwee	41,152	...	6	...	6	9	...	...	21	9
Chuckla	41,442	...	8	...	4	3	...	...	25	2
Oomberkharee	63,020	1	6	1	10	17	...	...	35	9
Dongree	60,259	1	[illegible]	...	7	2	1	...	23	10
Dhobeetalao	71,795	13	1	3	5	14	1	...	37	...
Phunuswaree	22,529	...	3	...	2	5	...	...	11	1
Bhooleshwur	50,282	1	11	...	6	11	...	...	29	...
Kharatalao	25,451	...	4	1	4	7	...	...	19	11
Koombarwara	23,085	...	9	...	4	9	...	...	24	...
Khetwaree	29,177	...	2	2	6	1	...	...	11	...
Girgaum	21,505	3	1	2	5	11	1	...	23	...
haoputee	6,184	1	2	...	2	3	...	...	8	...
Walkeshwur	10,094	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	3	...
Mahaluxmee	9,144	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	3	...
Mazagon	21,284	1	[illegible]	1	3	8	2	...	15	...
Tarwaree	9,462	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
Kamatheepoora	81,675	1	5	2	11	16	...	...	35	5
Parel	7,002	...	...	...	6	3	...	...	9	2
Seoree	5,042	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	3	...
Sion	12,078	...	2	...	2	2	...	...	6	...
Mahim	19,459	...	...	1	2	5	...	...	8	...
Worlee	10,211	...	1	1	4	2	...	...	8	3
Harbour	32,582	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Resident and Unknown	...	...	...	...	2	5	...	...	7	...
Bombay	816,562	23	84	23	110	165	7	1	413	61
Mean of the corresponding weeks in the preceding 5 years		25	54	13	240	116	7	1	456	

The following statement shows the number of deaths in the different races or castes :—

Race or Caste.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Fever.	Other diseases.	Accidents and Violence.	Total, ex. of Still-born.	Total reported births ex. of Still-born.
Boodhist—Jain, &c	...	2	...	4	7	1	14	2
Brahmin	...	2	1	3	9	1	16	3
Lingaet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bhatia	...	...	...	1	5	...	6	...
Hindoo of other Caste	19	38	17	50	81	2	208	32
Hindoo out-caste	...	9	2	13	3	1	28	1
Mussulman	2	29	2	30	37	..	100	19
Parsee	...	1	1	7	9	...	18	...
Jew	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Native-Christian	1	2	...	1	7	1	12	4
Indo-European	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
European	...	...	...	...	4	1	5	...
Negro-African	1	...	...	1	2	...	4	...
Chinese	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Unknown Races	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
Total	23	84	23	110	165	7	413	61
Corresponding week, 1868	1	39	4	104	136	10	284	54

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

ST. THOMAS' CATHEDRAL.

Good Friday.

11 A.M.—Prayers, Sermon, Hymns 99 and 98.
5 P.M.—Litany.
6 P.M.—Prayers, Sermon. Hymns 100, 93 and 92.

Easter-day.

7 A.M.—Holy Communion.
11 A.M.—Prayers, Sermon, Holy Communion. Hymns 107 before Service. Hymns 112 and 114.
5 P.M.—Litany.
6 P.M.—Prayers, Sermon. Hymns 114 before Service. Anthem—Christ being raised. Romans vi., 9 and 10 verses. Hymn 110. After Sermon, Hymn 107.

IN THE HARBOUR.

There will be Morning Prayers, Sermon and Holy Communion by the Rev. William Brown Keer on board the s. s. *American*, lying off the Time Ball Tower, on Sunday at 11 o'clock A. M.

PORT FUNDS.

A STATEMENT of receipts and charges on account of the Bombay Port and Pilotage Fund for the year 1867-68 appears in the *Government Gazette* of yesterday. Among the receipts, which amount to Rs. 6,95,43 0-5-1, the following are the chief items:—collection of port dues (from April 1867 to March 1868, both inclusive) Rs. 1,49,941-1-6; amount collected on account of measuring fees, pilotage do., transporting do., pilot attendance do., Rs. 1,18,212; water conveyance fees, Rs. 19,877-8-0; interest and sale proceeds of Government paper, Rs. 3,97,808-9-2; pilotage fees for transports hired for the Abyssinian Expedition Rs. 2,067-8-0. Among the charges we find Rs. 1,06,965-6-1 set down for the paid establishment of the following departments: Customs House (Rs. 3,735-11-2), Master Attendant and Conservator of the Port (Rs. 41,634-15-3), Pilot Establishment (Rs. 61,594-11-8.) We find also the following itemss :—

	Rs.	a.	p.
Contingent Charges of the Harbour and Pilotage Board	8,780	0	0
Contingent Charges of the Signal Stations	1,0[illegible]1	12	0
Do. do. of Her Majesty's light-house	5,335	0	0
Do. do. of Kennery do.	2,229	8	7
Do. do. of Time-Ball	1,078	8	6
Do. do. connected with steam water barges	9,337	7	2
Captain W. C. Barker for furlough allowance	4,702	10	10
Pay of establishment on pilot schooner, Customs	2,0[illegible]5	5	3
Fees to the members of the Harbour and Pilotage Board	7,740	0	0
Pensions	5,336	13	6
Stores and provisions supplied by the Commissariat and other departments	35,148	14	0
Construction of the Kennery lighthouse	49,551	2	7
Repairing, altering, rebuilding Bunders, &c.	15,491	7	4
Contingencies	18,161-3-4		
Remittances to England	2,35,99[illegible]-11-3		
Paid to the Municipal Commissioner, being the contribution of the Board towards two-thirds of the purchase money of the three steam water barges	70,000	0	0
Ditto ditto on loan as per Board's resolution No. 112, dated 29th April 867	13,333	0	0

The charges, including a balance of Rs. 1,59,197-7-0 from the previous year, amount to Rs. 7,73,237-1-1.

The port dues for the same period at Kurrachee amount to Rs. 21,619-15-6, the fees for use of swinging moorings Rs. 14,151, and the pilotage fees Rs. 24,219; the total receipts there being Rs. 24,219, while the charges, including a balance of Rs. 55,900-15-2 from last account, amount to Rs. 1,14,100-12-11.

The Aden port dues amount to Rs. 48,134-14-2, and the pilotage dues to Rs. 14,229-9-6.

The port dues received on account of the Northern Ports Fund amounted to Rs. 25,567-11-0. No pilotage dues are entered. On account of the Southern Ports Fund the amount of port dues received was Rs. 50,161-0-11, of which Rs. 10,745-6-0 was received at Canara.

The receipts on account of the Indus Conservancy Fund amounted to Rs. 62,076-10-8, and the charges to Rs. 86,535-13-11.

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SMALL CAUSE COURT.—24TH MARCH.

(Before J. O'Leary, Esq.)

PALLONJEE HORMUSJEE SONS AND CO. *vs.* BOMBAY AND BENGAL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

MR. LATHAM for the plaintiffs, and Mr. Farran for the defendants.

His Honor gave the following judgment in the case this day—The summons in this case states the cause of action to be "difference of freight on 107 tons, 1,765 lb., cotton per steamer *Ganga*, at 10 shillings per ton, Rs. 535-4." The plaintiffs' claim arises thus. On the 14th October 1868, plaintiffs obtained what is called a "shipping order" for 1,125 bales of cotton from defendants at £4 per ton. The order was in a printed form containing several conditions, among which were that the goods were to be alongside by the 17th November, and "this order is not transferable." At the time of giving this order the defendants, in writing on the counterfoil of the order, thus varied their printed conditions, "balance, if any, to be shipped in the next steamer at £4-10." Under this order the plaintiffs shipped on board the defendants' ship *Magdala* 530 bales, and bills of lading for those bales, made out in names other than plaintiffs, were signed by defendants. The defendants, in forgetfulness of the alteration in their printed conditions, wrote on 1st December 1868 to plaintiffs, demanding Rs. 7,081-13-4, being dead freight on 595 bales short shipped by plaintiffs on board the *Magdala*. The plaintiffs having replied, reminding defendants of the alteration in the printed conditions, the defendants, on the 2nd December, wrote to plaintiffs a letter, on the construction of which, as it appears to me, the main question in this case turns. In that letter the defendants say:—"You (plaintiffs) were misinformed by the broker, in that we agreed to take at a freight of £4 10s. a ton all the cotton that you could not ship in the *Magdala*. We, therefore, hand you an order for 595 bales of cotton at the freight you believed we would accept, viz., £4 10s., which the broker states was the agreement as represented to you;" and the defendants go on to say that in future no agreement can be acknowledged which is not stated in writing on the shipping order. Under this second, or supplementary order, the plaintiffs proceeded to ship cotton in the defendants' ship *Ganga*, the next ship of defendants leaving Bombay. In the usual way the plaintiffs sent in bills of lading to defendants for signature, and at least three bills were signed by defendants for cotton shipped per *Ganga*, none of them being in the names of plaintiffs as owners or shippers of the goods. The *Ganga* was to sail from here on December 20th, and about December 17th the defendants refused to sign bills of lading at £4-10, tendered to them by plaintiffs, on the ground that the bills being in the names of other parties than plaintiffs, the defendants had no contract to carry cotton for the persons whose names were so inserted in the bills of lading, and that they, (the plaintiffs,) were entitled to charge those persons the market rate of freight, which, it is not disputed, had then risen to £5. It appears to me, on the evidence before me, that what happened at this time was this. The defendants, shortly before the sailing of the ship *Ganga*, refused to sign bills of lading at £4-10 unless in the names of plaintiffs, and plaintiffs either were unable or refused to tender bills of lading in their own names, and accordingly accepted, under protest, bills of lading in the names of other parties, at a freight of £5. Having done so, and freight having now been earned, the plaintiffs seek to recover from the defendants the difference between the freight £4-10, at which defendants agreed to carry cotton for plaintiffs, and £5, the freight ultimately inserted in the bills of lading. I had at first some difficulty in coming to the conclusion that the plaintiffs had made out a case for damages. I, however, think on the whole, that their case is this. The defendants had agreed to carry cotton for plaintiffs per the *Ganga* at £4-10. They actually charged £5 for cotton shipped in that steamer by the plaintiffs. The plaintiffs swore that their constituents in England would pay £5 per ton, the market rate, and the plaintiffs would, therefore, have made a profit of £0-10 per ton on the cotton shipped, had it been carried by the defendants at the rate in the shipping order; this profit they have by, as they say, the wrongful act of the defendants lost, and they claim the loss of profit from the defendants. I do not think this exact mode of loss on the part of the plaintiffs was made out in evidence, but I am willing to grant that, in one way or another, the plaintiffs would have made 10s. per ton, had the defendants filled in the bills of lading at the rate of £4-10 instead of £5. Now, the plaintiffs contend on three grounds that they were entitled to have the bills of lading filled up in any names they chose to insert under the shipping order for cotton per *Ganga*. First, they allege a custom of the port of Bombay whereby, although shipping orders almost invariably contained a clause against assignment, bills of lading are always filled up in any names the holder of the order chose to insert. As to this alleged custom operating directly to contradict a written contract, I shall only say that the evidence of the plaintiff's own witnesses goes to this that it never has prevailed with regard to steam ship companies in Bombay. It is said, and from what has transpired before me in this and other cases I do not mean to contradict it, that owners of sailing vessels give shipping orders in precisely the same form (as to transfer of the order,) and yet these orders are a common subject of traffic in the bazar. That may be so, but it is not attempted to be suggested that the defendant company or the P. and O. Company, the only steam companies carrying cotton home, have ever allowed the condition against transfer to be infringed. A great deal of evidence was given on the part of the defendants as to why the ship companies found it necessary to adhere to the terms of their contracts, but with that I conceive I have nothing to do. It is enough for me that the custom, if it can be recognised in law, never prevailed amongst them. Secondly, the plaintiffs argue that the defendants having, without observation, signed several bills of lading under the shipping order which prohibits transfer, the said bills of lading being filled in with the names of others than the holders of the order, as owners of the cotton, the defendants were bound to have signed the rest of the bills of lading tendered to them in the same way. The plaintiffs' counsel argued the case is one of a waiver of condition, and contended that the defendants had, by their acts in signing the earlier bills of lading without raising the objection, precluded themselves from raising it with regard to any of them; and counsel argued that this was an analogy to the common law principle that where a blank bill of exchange was filled up in *Dumpor's* case, whereby it was held that a condition against assignment once waived, was gone for ever. I have never heard *Dumpor's* case applied to a mercantile contract. The act, framed apparently with the view of doing away with what appeared to be the injustice of that decision, would seem to show either that *Dumpor's* case never applied to contracts such as this or that the principle of it, as applicable to them, was still in force. I find the case is not even cited in such text books of authority as Smith's Mercantile Law, and on tee whole I must come to the conclusion that it has no application to a case such as the present. The case then stands thus. Plaintiff took a shipping order not transferable. They *did* transfer it in various portions. Up to a certain time the defendants seem not to have noticed this transfer, but when it became their interest to do so, they did object to it. I have been unable to find any case showing that, if a person contracts to carry the goods of A. at a certain rate, stipulating that the goods shall be those of A. and not of any one else, that, if any portion of the goods are by mistake otherwise received under the contract, they not being the goods of A., the party contracting to carry is thenceforth bound to take the goods of any person whatever, so that he be an assignee of the contract. I think the plaintiffs are bound to go that length, and I can find no authority for it. The plaintiff's case was, thirdly, put on a different ground altogether. Evidence was tendered to prove a parol agreement (contemporaneous with the original shipping order) whereby the defendants agreed to sign bills of lading in the names of any persons the plaintiffs chose to insert. I refused to receive any such evidence. The original order was no doubt varied, but it was merely made conformable to the original written counterpart of the order as standing in defendants' books. However, while I think the case is pretty clear that the plaintiffs cannot recover damages for not being allowed to transfer an order which was not transferable, I think the conduct of the defendants, in this that they interfered as they say, went on signing bills of lading one after another in other names than those of the plaintiffs, is such a leading astray, if I may so say, of the plaintiffs as to discntitle the defendants to costs. Verdict for defendants, no costs certified.

PARISIAN "VARIETIES."

THE Variétés Theatre in Paris is rapidly eclipsing the reputation of the Palais Royal for a class of pieces in which absurdity and indecency have a hard contest for supremacy. The largest fan is scarcely protection enough for the lady who chances to find her way into the Palais Royal; and we should not be surprised if, before long, the old system of going masked to a theatre were revived in Paris. Two new pieces at the Variétés are quite of the Palais Royal stamp. "L'Astronome au Pont Neuf" is by M. Jules Moinaux, with music by M. E. Durand. Babylone and Malecios are two Parisian good-for-nothings, both married, and both given to vagabondising. The first has an appointment with the wife of the second, and, believing himself pursued, disguises himself in the quaint attire of a well-known proprietor of a public telescope by the Pont Neuf. Malecios arrives, but, so far from being in pursuit of his predecessor, he has himself an appointment. A dialogue full of absurdities and equivoque follows. Malecios looks through the telescope, which by accident, bears upon a neighbouring quay, and is anything but pleased to see in the window of a restaurant his *belle inconnue* accepting the hospitality of a go-to-looking young stranger. Babylone chaffs unmercifully the angry lover, but becomes a partner in his wrath when, on taking a peep in turn, he discovers that the lady so ready in making assignations is his own wife. To prove that roars of laughter were excited by this piece we have but to say that its principal exponents were Grénier and Dupuis. "Une Fausse Joie" is a one-act comedy, by MM. H. Rimbaut and Raymond Deslandes. Its plot, which is complicated, turns upon Dodichon's hopes excited in the mind of a married bourgeois by seeing in his wife's possession some signs of maternity, which, however, she is only employing vicariously in behalf of her sister.—*Globe.*

THE HAIR.—Of the numerous compounds constantly announced for promoting the growth or reproduction of the human hair, few survive, even in name, beyond a very limited period; whilst Rowlands' Macassar Oil, with a reputation already unparalleled, is still on the increase in public estimation. The unprecedented success of this delightful preparation, preserving, and beautifying the human hair, is too well known and appreciated to need comment. The very fact of its having stood the test of nearly half a century of imitation, and obtained the special patronage of Her Majesty the Queen, the Court, and the whole of the Royal Family of Great Britain, and of every Court in the Civilized World, together with numerous Testimonials constantly received of its efficacy, afford the best and surest proof of its merits. Being universally preferred, its consequent great demand excites the cupidity of unprincipled shopkeepers, who vend the most spurious trash as Macassar Oil. It is therefore highly necessary to see that the words "Rowlands' Macassar Oil" are in two lines on the wrapper. The genuine article may be obtained at most of the Principal Storekeepers and Chemists throughout India.—[ADVT.]

RACING AND RACE-HORSES.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE TIMES."

SIR,—It is to be feared that the present controversy about two-year old racing will not tend to raise sporting writers in the estimate of the public. Horse causes tried in the Law Courts are proverbially notorious for hard swearing; but reckless writing in the newspapers is equally reprehensible. These remarks are more particularly intended to apply to the letter signed "Percy Wyndham," which appeared in your journal recently. I shall not comment on the letters of Admiral Rous and Lord Coventry. Those letters are written by gentlemen of good sense, but the other is of an opposite character. The writer is either so ignorant of the subject, or so perverse, that in order to prevent the public being mislead, I will proceed to show that most of his statements are unworthy of credit and are mere reckless assertions without any foundation in truth. I will only notice the leading points of his letter, but did your space permit I could demolish *seriatim* every statement contained in his audacious epistle.

It is not the fact that "speed and strength are antagonistic qualities," nor is it the fact that "the modern half-miler is the reverse of a horse of colossal strength, and fitted for no other purpose but to fly for a very short distance with a feather weight upon his back." Nor, again, is it the fact that the "quality of extraordinary speed can only be attained by a corresponding loss of strength and endurance." I will not attempt to refute these assertions by others equally reckless, but disprove them by plain hard facts which cannot be gainsaid or explained away. The "modern half-milers," instead of being as represented "mere weeds fit only to fly with a feather-weight upon their backs," are the most powerful horses in training, and, on the contrary, those horses which have proved their capabilities of staying over long distances are very frequently very shelly, scraggy, weak-looking weeds. Among the most famous half-milers of modern days, may be mentioned Warrior, Nutbush, Miss Julia, Little Lady, and Bounceaway. Now, Warrior is one of the most powerful horses in England, quite as powerful as any "colossal drayhorse," and quite as capable of carrying a heavy weight as any drayhorse; and if a match were to be made between Warrior and the "most colossal drayhorse" that can be found in London, each to carry a heavy weight, say 20 stone, I would lay odds that the drayhorse would be the first to give in and to lie down distressed. The weight of his load; yet Warrior is one of the modern half-milers, a horse who cannot compass a longer distance at a racing pace. Miss Julia, another famous flyer, was an immensely powerful animal, quite, as strong as any drayhorse. She could fly for half a mile, but could not travel further. Speed and strength, therefore, were not antagonistic qualities in her case. Nutbush was another wonder of modern days, perhaps the best half-miler the world ever knew, and, although this mare was a large one—for, not tall in stature—she was immensely powerful, with quite as much substance and strength as the best weight-carrying cob that ever looked through a bridle. Indeed, the "modern half-milers," instead of being mere weeds capable only of flying short distances under heavy weights, when they are not large, powerful horses, like Warrior, are almost invariably strong-looking cobs. Little Lady, Bounceaway, and several others might be adduced in illustration.

I suppose even "Percy Wyndham" will not have the temerity to dispute the fact that Achievement, Tim Whiffler, Fisherman, Teddington, and Lecturer have been about the best stayers, and have displayed the greatest powers of endurance over long courses in recent times. Now, instead of these being strongly-built, powerful-looking animals, the contrary is the case, Achievement is a lanky, tucked-up, spider-like looking creature; a strong man could put her under his arm or over his shoulders, and carry her for a longer distance than the writer's "colossal drayhorse" could gallop. Tim Whiffler and Fisherman were leggy, weak-looking horses, but very "wiry" once. Teddington was one of the smallest and narrowest horses I ever saw, and yet when he was far from well, having only recently been on the sick-list with a severe cold, he beat Stockwell, a horse of nearly twice his size and power, over the long and severe Cup Course at Ascot, when carrying 9lb. more weight than Stockwell! Lecturer is a small, mean looking horse, though not so weak-looking as the others I have named; yet on the long and severe Cesarewitch Course at Newmarket he carried 7lb. more than a horse belonging to Baron Rothschild, named Lothario, of nearly twice the size and power, and beat him easily. These are facts, and not baseless assertions; they can be ascertained to be facts by any one who will take the trouble to inquire into the matter. The horses are most of them alive at the present time, and their relative sizes, dimensions, &c., can be taken; their respective performances are chronicled in the annals of the Turf.

Then, again, if we put them to the test of endurance across country, we invariably find that the mean weedy looking ones can give a good account of their "colossal" opponents. Two mean, weak-looking animals were never seen than those now famous sisters, Emblem and Emblematic, and yet they each of them won the Grand National and other celebrated steeplechases, carrying heavy weights, and distancing their "colossal" opponents.

Equally untrue is the assertion that "every thoroughbred horse now existing springs from parents subjected to the fiery ordeal of early racing." On the contrary, a very large proportion of them are the offspring of parents who never been raced at all either "early," or late, but these do not prove themselves superior either in speed or in endurance to those whose parents were subjected to the fiery ordeal.

Many of your readers will remember the race for the Ascot Cup last summer. Three horses ran; they were all of the same age and carried equal weights. Blue Gown, a horse of medium size, won. The other two horses were Speculum and King Alfred. Speculum was a neat, elegant looking little horse; King Alfred built on a much larger scale and altogether more powerful, and yet he finished last of all, being easily beaten by his smaller opponent, though over a shorter distance at Epsom King Alfred was the better of the pair. The distance was a long one, and the pace from end to end good, but of course not so fast as the half-mile races. Indeed, a good deal of miscouception exists as to distance; racing is, after all, not so much a matter of distance. It is the pace that kills, and every week I see horses as much distressed at the finish of a half-mile spin as the competitors of the Liverpool Steeplechase are at the end of a run of four miles and a half. Jockeys always regulate the pace by the distance their horses have to travel; in short, races they gallop from end to end; in longer contests they usually "take it easy" for the greater part of the distance, and therefore those writers who draw invidious distinctions between horses of the present day and those which ran in races over three, four, or more miles in a bygone age, either from ignorance or guile of their subject, or they intentionally mislead the public.

In former days horses ran longer distances, because they never went half the pace the modern horses are asked to travel. Horses of the present day can run over long courses just as well as their predecessors did, if they are only required to go the same pace. If without presumption I may speak of my own occupations, I may say that I have spent far more time in investigating these matters than anyone else living or dead, and the conclusion I have arrived at is that the horses of the present day are immeasurably superior both in speed and bottom to their predecessors of a century or half a century ago.

There are individual horses of far greater merit than any which existed 50 or more years ago, and I am now also of opinion that the proportion of good horses to bad ones is greater than the average of former years. But yet I believe that by careful selection of sires and dams a far higher average and a yet superior excellence are possible and attainable, and as notice that "Percy Wyndham" says "A horse can be, and is, bred to attain an extraordinary speed for a distance of two miles or less," I shall be much obliged to him if he will publish the formula to be used to bring about so desirable a result.

I am greatly interested in the breeding of horses, and will forgive the recklessness of his other remarks if he will inform the world in general, and breeders of horses in particular, how such an end can be best attained.—I have the honour to be, Sir, your obedient servant,

J. H. SHORTHOUSE.

Carshalton, Feb. 18.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE TIMES."

SIR,—In *The Times* of to-day Dr. Shorthouse sets in strongly for the theory that, notwithstanding early training, the merit of the present horses is greater than that of "any which existed 50 or more years ago"—of Flying Childers and Eclipse, for instance. I am much obliged to Dr. Shorthouse for this statement, and will not call it "reckless writing in the newspapers," but will meet it by a statement from Lawrence, of the truth of which we may feel sure, respecting Flying Childers:—

"At six years of age he ran a trial at 9st. 2lb. against Almanzor, got also by the Darley Arabian, and Brown Betty, a mare belonging to the Duke of Rutland over the Round Course at Newmarket, 3 miles 6 furlongs and 93 yards, in 6 minutes and 40 seconds; to perform which he must have moved 82½ feet in one second of time, or nearly at the rate of one mile in a minute, the greatest degree of velocity of which any horse was ever capable, or probably ever will be. He likewise ran over the Beacon Course, 4 miles 1 furlong 183 yards, in 7 minutes and 30 seconds, covering at each bound a space of 25 feet. He also leaped 10 yards on a level ground with his rider."—Page 267.

"I should suppose Eclipse calculated to excel over the course Childers for a mile."—Page 278.

Good old John Lawrence, however not having the faculty of vaticination, was wrong in saying that "probably" no horse would be faster than Flying Childers; for as he is contemptuously dismissed by Admiral Rous as a "plater," in comparison with our present horses, we may suppose that the fast horse of the period runs more than a mile a minute and can stay at that pace. Monopolize our blood-horses as a distinct class set apart for their use; and of course it matters not to them a straw what is the character of that class as a whole. Whether it improves or deteriorates, they can bet, "plunge," ruin others or themselves. But the horseman regards the question very differently, inasmuch as the blood-horse stamps his characteristics upon the saddle horse.

Nothing was needed to be added to the examination of the Turf Reform question in your leading article of the 13th inst., which sifted every point and was as fair as it was complete. Still, it is well that your views have been sustained by persons competent to speak as to particulars which Lord Coventry and the Hon. Percy Wyndham have done (*The Times*, Wednesday, the 17th.) Look at the vivid picture drawn by Lord Coventry of a two-year-old race—"the jockeys more preconious than the animals they bestride." (*The Times*, Feb. 13.) And can any one acquainted with the abilities of the horse read Mr. Wyndham's letter and not agree with him that the colt trained at 18 months old cannot pass unimpaired through the fiery ordeal? You have stated that "if there is a demand in the market for horses of certain qualities, whatever those qualities are, and for whatever purpose required, breeders have only to proceed systematically towards the well-defined object, and in the course there will be an adequate supply of the animals required." In reference to the animal thus produced Mr. Wyndham says "that the race-horse we see on the course, beautiful as he is, so far from being the model of excellence attainable in horse-flesh, is rather a mischievous perversion of that model." To the correctness of that description Admiral Rous, who, I venture to say, loves the turf "too well" rather than "wisely," will refuse his assent. But if it is true, as many agreeing with Mr. Wyndham and "Oxonian" contend, that the racer of the present day is abused and injured, and is not the pattern for imitation, it is important, in a national point of view, that the fact should be recognized.

It would be repugnant to an ordinance of nature to deny the truth of your statement: "That animals of early precocity hold an inferior rank, and that gradual development is the condition of the higher organisms, are axioms to the naturalists. . . . To this rule horses, of course, are exception."

I am not a horse-dealer; but few persons have had the opportunities I have had of seeing horses of various countries, and I have always looked at them with the eyes of inquiry and affection. Above all, I have myself broken in well-bred horses for my own use as hunters and roadsters for hard work and I can add the testimony of a painful experience that too early work disposes the horse to foot-lameness, causes knuckling in the pastern joints, and deprives him of that elasticity which otherwise he would retain to old age.

Through the public bounties, called Queen's Plates, granted for the encouragement of a fine breed of saddle-horses, it is the duty of the Government to influence the proceedings on the Turf to obtain that object. It is to be hoped, therefore, that Mr. Wyndham (whose ability is recognized in the House of Commons) will move for a committee to inquire into and report on the system pursued in regard to the bounties paid, by giving the Queen's Plates, for the national object of improving the general breed of horses. At any rate, by such an inquiry information will be collected of great value to the country.—I have the honour to remain, your faithful servant,

A RIDER.

Feb. 20.

THE PRINCESS BACCIOCCHI.

On the very day of the last Court ball of the season, the Emppess's Frist Chamberlain the Duke de Tascher de la Pagerie, was suddenly stricken down in death by a fit of apoplexy. The King of Terrors continues to deal his strokes at the nearest relatives and fastest friends of the sagacious ruler of France. The Marquis de Moustier, late Foreign Minister, is also dead, and with him is gone one of the three or four men in Europe who really understand the "Eastern Question" in all its ramifications. But on the day of the ball another message of woe, still more nearly touching the imperial family, was brought to the Tuileries. The Emperor's first cousin and favourite of all his outside family, the Princess of Bacciocchi, had died that morning at her superb chateau in Berlin. She has had a great fortune through having much of the Emperor's taste for high farming, not usually deemed profitable to amateurs, and rumour has it that the Prince Imperial is the universal legatee of whatever property she possessed. Gossip would dwell upon a few passages of the life and character of this remarkable personage, if you permit it for a few moments. There is scarcely a member of the astonishing house of Buonaparte without a legend variously exhibiting its strange light and shade in the romance either of history or of real life. Before the illustrious Corsican had brought his originally obscure family into the full light of the world's eye, his eldest sister, Eliza Bounaparte, was born at Ajaccio in 1777, and married in 1797 a neighbouring gentleman of good family named Felix Bacciochi. Madame Bacciocchi subsequently became, by a flash of the pen of her great brother, Princess of Lucca and of Piombino, and subsequently successor to the late reigning house of Hapsburg-Lorraine as grand Duchess of Tuscany. From this marriage the surviving issue was Napoleon Eliza Bacciocchi, born in 1806. The late Princess married in 1825 the Count Camerata, from whom the strong-willed woman, who desired to have her own way in all dealings, separated in 1836. She had one son, whose fortunate destiny all were open-mouthed at Paris in 1853, when his cousin and friend the present Emperor had just come to the plenitude of power. But no man should be accounted happy till he dies. At the very moment when a future of high position and unbounded wealth appeared certain for the young Count Camerata, he suddenly fell in love with an actress of the *Gymnase*. There were some difficulties and some jealousies, which up to the present moment remain a mystery. One thing alone is quite certain—that the only child of the Princess Bacciocchi committed suicide, and that the young actress in a few months after followed him to the world of shadows. The poor mother bore up strongly under the affliction. Her tastes had always been masculine, and her aspirations for the house of Bonnaparte and confidence in her star were not inferior to those of the present fatalist Emperor himself even in the days of its lowest fall and deepest despondency. The clever and courageous woman planned in 1830, while Louis Philippe was still only Lieutenant-General of the Kingdom, a scheme which might have long since revolutionized Europe and changed the fate of Christendom. While the mind of France was still exalted by the sudden revolution which drove Charles X. from the throne, she formed a plan to rescue the Duke of Reichstadt, only child of the Great Napoleon, from the Austrians and to produce him suddenly in the midst of the Parisian insurgents. This was no idle dream. She put herself artfully in communication with the young Prince, who inhabited apartments at the suburban palace of Schonbrunn; and to give him a few hours start of his grandfather's spying officers had trained a youth, the very image of himself, to represent him as sick in his apartments. The subdued spirit of the young Napoleon alone prevented the realization of a great dashing exploit. It may also satisfy, for the curious, that the Princess succeeded in bringing him safely to Paris at the time, subsequent events prove that the heart of France would have been with him, and that a million of swords would have sprung from their scabbards to defend the resuscitated dynasty of the great Corsican. When this unhappy young Prince died and Louis Napoleon became heir of the Empire, the Princess Bacciocchi turned to him, and in all his plans she was his ally and adviser. In private life there are strange stories of her. I give none as true, because one can believe half what one hears, and I always had a deep respect for the energetic Princess. Before she obtained the property which she so much improved and where she died, the Princess inhabited the old Chateau of Notre Dame du Vivier in the department of the Seine and Marne. She chiefly lived in that locality not far from Paris from 1850 to 1853, during the anxious period of the transition from the Republic to the Empire. When the *coup d'état* was accomplished her proud spirit had a rest, and she took fondly to the contemplative amusement of fishing—no longer in troubled waters, but in the pleasant ponds of Vivier. From morning till night she tried the deceptive fly, but, strange to say, the finny tribe distrusted her, and she scarcely ever caught a fish. I have been wandering recently through the grounds of this ancient Chateau, which dates from the time—at least some of the ruins do—of the unfortunate Charles VI. of France. The people are kindly feeling towards the late distinguished occupant of the place. Never did a more charitable lady shower blessings on a neighbourhood. She sifted every story of distress told her, and her clear mind quickly discovered those worthy of her bounty and those pretending to poverty. The former she helped not only with money—alms from the rich are but an indolent evasion of charity—but with suggestions, and best constant interest. For the pretenders she also ever had an open hand. The generosity of her nature would not let her say nay, but she gave her bounty to those she thought unworthy of it with a faint smile of contempt. Her manner had a singular success in checking repetitions of unworthy demands. I may give one anecdote as an example of the warmth and at the same time the generosity of her temper. I have verified the facts, and may be considered upon as true. The Princess had the village hair-dresser to come and arrange her *coiffure* every morning, and it was her delight that he should raise a daily monument of crisp curls on her classic head. While the operation was being performed, the Princess usually was seated opposite the fire in her *boudoir*, and read one of the newly arrived newspapers from Paris. The *friseur*, with the accustomed curiosity of his trade in all countries, was in the habit of slily glancing over the good lady's shoulder at the contents of the broad-sheet. One morning there was some remarkable news heralded in those attractive large capitals with which you gentlemen of the Press all so well know how to appeal to the interest of your readers. He had just taken the curling-tongs from the fire, and, forgetful of every thing in his stolen perusal of the journal, he laid the irons for a moment on the bare temple of his victim. She only sprung up like a startled fawn, while fingers tweaked the nose of the terrified barber in an instant, and I fear I may add that her neatly-pared nails also made sanguine freedom with his cheeks. He made a thousand excuses; but while he completed hurriedly his job he had to listen to some plain speaking from Madame. All being finished, he was hurrying in confusion from the house. "Where are you going, you fool?" enquired the Princess, seizing him by the greasy collar—"where are you going without your money?" She always gave him a five-franc piece every morning. "Oh! Madame la Princesse! after what has happened, how could I expect anything, or ever to be again admitted to your presence?" "Well!" "I don't know what to do, Madame." Well, you stupid fellow, what you'll first do is to take this five-franc piece for curling my hair, and here's twenty francs over for what I did to you—no; here's a couple of napoleons; give the difference beyond the francs to the old woman, your mother, at home, but be cautious, my good fellow, meantime, and for the future, how you read newspapers over my shoulder."—*Paris correspondent of the "Pioneer."*

THE San Francisco papers complain that hackmen in that city smoke clay pipes while driving carriages in funeral processions.

A CINCINNATI woman, arrested for stealing 50 lbs. of beef, apologised for taking so much by stating she had no knife to cut it.

WE are glad to learn from an amusing dialogue in *La Vie Parisienne* that the necessity of classifying French novels has at last been recognized. A lady entering a circulating library asks for a novel: "I don't know how to tell you exactly the kind I want," she says "Oh, I think we shall be able to suit you," was the reply. "I mean something lively," explains the intending reader; "the sort of book that would not be precisely suitable for the library of a young girl." "Marie," cries the keeper of the book-shop to her assistant, "novel for a woman of thirty-five."—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

BROTHER IGNATIUS AND HIS MONKS.—Brother Ignatius has reopened his monastery at Norwich. In an appeal for aid he says—"We have reopened the convent again, and some monks are now there carrying on the regular round of daily monastic service, but they are suffering from want of actual necessaries. Will my old Norwich friends kindly come forward to our help? The brothers are without beds or bedclothes! What would Miss Saurin say to this? They have neither plates, spoons, knives, forks, coals, nor anything else. A chair, table, or even a stool would be most acceptable—in fact, anything which the charity of Norwich Christians will give us. I hope before long to be in Norwich again, and I trust that I shall have the pleasure of thanking many good Christians there for their alms and gifts. The monks mean to stick to Norwich, their old quarters now; and I do pray that our Lord will mercifully put it into the hearts of His people in Norwich to help us. They have done so before many times, and I believe they will again. Will any one who reads this send a duster, a broom, a pail, a blanket, or any thing, for the monks have as yet simply nothing."

A YANKEE VISIT TO TENNYSON.

THE *New York Citizen* publishes a 'private' letter from a wandering Yankee who lately acted the part of 'Paul Pry' in the Laureate's house at Faringford, in the Isle of Wight. Mr. Tennyson having shown his guest his 'newly-acquired territory,' in the shape of wheatfields bought by the poet out of the proceeds of 'Enoch Arden,' our possibly too imaginative visitor continues:—We dined at six, in a quaint room hung with pictures, and then went into the drawing-room for dessert. Tennyson and I retired to his study at the top of the house, lit pipes, and talked of poetry. I spoke of the idyll of 'Guinevere' as being perhaps his finest poem; and said that I could not read it aloud without my voice failing me at certain passages. 'Why, I can read it and keep my voice,' he exclaimed triumphantly. This I doubted, and he agreed to try after we went down. But the first thing he did was to produce a magnum of wonderful sherry, thirty years old, which had been sent him by a poetic wine dealer. Such wine I never tested. 'It was meant to be drunk by Cleopatra or Catherine of Russia,' said Tennyson.—As yet they had not exceeded the two glasses. After this 'Tennyson and I' did a bottle of the poet's 'Waterloo, 1815,' the author of 'Guinevere' saying, 'We will make a night of it,' (sic). A glass all round, and we are told Tennyson took up the 'Idylls of the King.' Finally, when Arthur forgives the Queen, Tennyson's voice fairly broke. 'I found tears on my cheeks, and —— and Mrs. Tennyson were crying on either side of me. He made an effort, and went on to the end, closing grandly.' 'How can you say,' I asked, (referring to previous conversation,) 'that you have no surety of permanent fame? This poem will only die with the language in which it is written.' Mrs. Tennyson started up from her couch. 'It is true,' she exclaimed, 'I have told Alfred the same thing.' After this 'Tennyson and I,' of course, had more drink, and then went up to the garret to smoke and talk. Then Mr. Tennyson, if we are to believe our authority, after having read his own poems to a guest the best part of a whole night, wound up with Andrew Marvell's 'Coy Witness.' 'Tennyson and I' parted 'at two o'clock.'

THE RULE OF THE ROAD AT SEA.

IN former articles on the rule of the road at sea and the steering and sailing rules we drew attention to their action as regards two steamships, and also as regards a steamship and a sailing ship. The disastrous collision between the English ship *Calcutta* and the Prussian barque *Emma*, not in a crowded channel or roadstead, but in the open sea, with nothing whatever in sight to distract the attention of either, will direct the serious consideration of the public to their effect as regards sailing ships. For centuries the practice of seamen obtained there as in England, but in foreign countries, and this practice was upheld by the law. When steam came into vogue it became necessary to make a law for steamers, and, instead of making it in unison with the custom of the sea, the custom was upset, even as regards sailing ships, and for years past the practice of seamen and the law have been at variance. We now publish this practice and the law, that the public may read and judge by the light of this last great calamity. Let any one watch a fleet of ships working down the Swin, or through Yarmouth Roads, and ask why it is that these ships do not come into collision, and he will learn that it is because they act according to the custom of the sea and the practice of seamen; and then let him ask why it is that two isolated ships ram into each other, as though it were a naval engagement, and he will find that it is because one or both are acting according to law.

THE PRACTICE OF SEAMEN.

"A sailing ship on the port tack shall keep out of the way of a sailing ship on the starboard tack, and a sailing ship which is to windward shall keep out of the way of a ship which is to leeward."

THE LAW (INTERNATIONAL.)

"Art. XI.—If two sailing ships are meeting end on or nearly end on so as to involve risk of collision, the helms of both shall be put to port, so that each may pass on the port side of the other.

"Art. XII.—When two sailing ships are crossing so as to involve risk of collision, then, if they have wind on different sides, the ship with the wind on the port side shall keep out of the way of the ship with the wind on the starboard side; except in the case in which the ship with the wind on the port side is close hauled and the other ship free, in which case the latter ship shall keep out of the way; but if they have the wind on the same side, or if one of them has the wind aft, the ship which is to windward shall keep out of the way of the ship which is to leeward.

"Art. XVIII.—Where, by the above rules, one of two ships is to keep out of the way, the other shall keep her course, subject to the qualifications contained in the following article.

Proviso to Save Special Cases.—Art. XIX.—In obeying and construing these rules, due regard must be had to all dangers of navigation; and due regard must also be had to any special circumstances which may exist in any particular case rendering a departure from the above rules necessary in order to avoide immediate danger."

THE LAW (NON-INTERNATIONAL.)

"The said two articles, numbered XI. and XIII respectively (Article XIII. applies to steamers), only apply to cases where ships are meeting end on or nearly end on in such a manner as to involve risk of collision. They consequently do not apply to two ships which must, if both keep on their respective courses, pass clear of each other.

"The only cases in which the said two articles apply are when each of the two ships is end on or nearly end on to the other; in other words, to cases in which by day each ship sees the masts of the other in a line or nearly in a line with her own; and by night to cases in which each ship is in such a position as to see both the side lights of the other.

"The said two articles do not apply by day to cases in which a ship sees another ahead crossing her own course; or by night to cases where the red light of one ship is opposed to the red light of the other; or where the green light of one ship is opposed to the green light of the other; or where a red light without a green light, or a green light without a red light, is seen ahead; or where both green and red lights are seen anywhere but ahead.—*Army and Navy Gazette.*

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF IN INDIA.

Head Quarters, Calcutta, 6th March 1869.

Staff Surgeon Major A. Smith, M.D., will proceed from Delhi to Lucknow, and assume medical charge of the head quarters 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery, at that station, in the room of Surgeon A. Guthrie, M.D., invalided to England.

Staff Surgeon W. H. Harris, at present en route from Bombay with drafts viâ Mooltan, is posted to the Peshawur Circle for duty.

The Hazara Field Force order, dated the 31st October last, directing the equipment of No. 2 Battery, 21th Brigade, Royal Artillery, as a Mountain Battery, at a cost of Rs. 1,423-7, and the entertainment of a British and a native establishment for the same, with effect from the 4th September last, is, with the sanction of Government, confirmed.

Head Quarters, Calcutta, 8th March 1869.

Local rank has been assigned to the undermentioned Officers:—

Royal (Madras) Engineers—Captain J. Mullins to be Major, from the 8th December 1868.

1st Battalion, 11th Foot.—Captain G. T. Osborn to be Major, from the 1st December 1868.

The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointment, subject to approval by His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief:—

1st Battalion, 23rd Foot.—Lieutenant A. R. Hutchinson to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Roe, who resigns the appointment. Dated 5th December 1868.

The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following promotion, until her Majesty's pleasure shall be known:—

45th Foot.—Ensign John Humfrey to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Watling, admitted as a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 17th February 1869.

The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Surgeon Major J. B Harrison, M.D., to officiate as Medical Storekeeper at Scalkote, vice Surgeon Major Elton, proceeded on furlough. Dated 3rd March 1869.

The Commander-in-Chief in India has accepted the retirement from the service, by the sale of his commission, of Captain William Henry Mosley, 2nd Battalion, 60th Rifles, subject to approval by Her Majesty. Dated 2nd March 1869.

Lieutenant Colonel G. G. Lloyd, Bengal Infantry, attached to the 10th Bengal Cavalry, is permitted to do general duty at Sealkote.

Captain and Local Major F. Eteson, 1st battalion 3rd Foot, is appointed to officiate as Brigade Major, with effect from the 1st instant, and is posted to Dinapore.

Captain A. R. Longhnan, Staff Corps, brought on the establishment of Brigade Majors by G. G. O. No. 202 of 1869, is permanently posted to Barielly, with effect from the 1st January last.

The following transfers of Medical Officers are directed:

Surgeon G. V. Currie, from the 18th to the 10th Bengal Cavalry.

Surgeon G. K. Poole, M.D., from the 25th Native Infantry to the 18th Bengal Cavalry.

Official notification has been received of the undermentioned Officer of the 25th Foot having, on his recent promotion, been posted to the battalion of his regiment specified:—

Lieutenant H. R. Rathborne, 2nd Battalion.

Official notification has been received of the undermentioned Officers of the 14th Foot having been permitted to exchange to the 1st battalion of that regiment specified:—

Lieutenant P. W. Symonds, ...1st Battalion,
H. L. Woodland, ...2nd "

Assistant Surgeon G. G. McLaren, M. B. doing duty with the 4th Native Infantry, is reported to have passed the Lower Standard in Hindoostanee, on the 4th January last.

LADY CANNING'S TOMB.—The Marquis of Clanricarde addressed the following to the Editor of the *Times*: "Sir,—In reference to the letter signed 'Pilgrim,' upon the repairs and protection required for Lady Canning's tomb, which appeared in the *Times* of Tuesday, and in the temporary absence from England of Lord Burke, I beg your permission to inform your readers that the appeal to

WINES, SPIRITS, BEER, &c.

PAYNE AND COMPANY.

NOTICE.

IN REFERENCE TO

BASS' BEER,

Our instructions regarding packing have been so fully carried out at our London Agency with regard to Beer, that shipment after shipment having arrived in such excellent condition we find we are enabled to reduce the price from 6-8 to

SIX RUPEES PER DOZEN.

Orders that have been executed during the current month at the higher rate will be credited with the difference in price, and those who have paid cash will receive a refund on application at our Godowns in Elphinstone Circle.

NOTICE TO MESSES AND MOFUSSIL RESIDENTS.

All Orders for Sherries now standing registered in our books, awaiting the arrival of the "Khorasan" will be despatched immediately on being landed. The following are the descriptions and prices. This being a large shipment we solicit further order for them.

SHERRIES.

The whole of our Sherries are imported by us direct from XERES

Credit.			Cash.
20 0	B	Red—A pale full flavoured Luncheon Wine	18 C
20 0	A	Red—Same quality as above, but much drier	18 0
20 0	C	Red—A Pale, rich flavoured Wine, fine Arowa, particularly suitable as a Dinner Wine	22 0
27 0	1	White—Pale, delicate and nutty Wine posesing great delicacy or flavour, and recommended as a good Dessert Wine	24 0
30 0	2	White—Old natural pale dry Wine extremely mellow and fine, and very dry, quite the Amontillado character	27 0
32 0	3	White— Ditto, ditto, also very dry...	29 0
33 0	4	White—Vine de Pasto, a Wine well known at all the best Westend Clubs in London; choice, old, delicate, pale and dry Wine	30 0
32 0		Amontillado, very pale delicate flavour, very dry and full of aroma. We offer it to the connoisseur who can appreciate the characteristics of a fine Amontillado; very old	30 0
35 0		Manzanilla, a pale, old, and elegant Wine, very choice. We offer it to those who can appreciate the extremely delicate flavour and dryness peculiar to this Wine	32 0

PORTS.

Imported direct from Oporto, where our Reserves are held; they are the produce of the Upper Douro District.

18 0	One Grapes, full bodied fruity Wine	16 0
24 0	Two Grapes, a superb full flavoured Wine, very mellow, a good After-Dinner Wine	21 0
30 0	Three Grapes, a fine Invalid Port, it possesses a Burgundy flavour with a fine bouquet and good body	27 0

☞ Our Shipment ex "Prince Oscar" of Gold and Silver neck—one and two Stars Champagne has all been disposed of.

Now Landing

EX "MERWANJEE FRAMJEE."

CHAMPAGNES.

Cordon Blue	Rs. 28 0
Creme de Bousy	34 0
Fleur de Sillery	40 0
Light Dry Sillery	35 0

Only a few days landed from the

"PRINCE OSCAR."

And will commence landing from the

"KHORASAN,"

On the 4th March the following:

SPARKLING MOSELLES,

The whole of our Hocks and Moselles are imported direct from our Agency at Coblentz, where we have a fine stock of first-class Wines.

Credit.		Cash.
34 0	Crown Brand, fine Sparkling, highly recommended	32 0
37 0	Ditto—brand, Payne & Co., Coblentz	34 0
42 0	Ditto Nonpareil, extra superior	39 0

SPARKLING HOCKS.

40 0	Crown Brand, fine Sparkling, highly recommended	Rs. 36 0
45 0	Ehrenbreitstein, pale and elegant	40 0

It will be observed that our quotations for sparkling Wines, are for good delivery from our Godowns.

WHITE WINES OF THE RHINE.

"STILL HOCKS"

Much used in England, and Imported extensively by our Calcutta House for many years.

Credit.				Cash.
20 0	Laubenheim,	Vintage	1862 Rs.	18 0
23 0	Bodenthal	ditto	1862	20 8
23 8	Geisenheim	ditto	1862	21 0
25 0	Ostrich	ditto	1862	22 0
29 0	Nierstein	ditto	1862	26 0
36 0	Scharlachberg	ditto	1862	32 0
24 0	Erbach	ditto	1865	21 0

Rudesheimer, Johanisberger, and Steinberger, also in stock, of select vintages. Rs. 28,34, and 36, respectively, cash.

CLARETS.

Our Clarets reach us direct from our Bordeaux house, where we have always a reserve of Two or Three Hundred Hogsheads of Good Vintage Wines.

Credit.		Cash.
13 0	Good Bordeaux	12 0
15 0	Payne's Medoc	13 0
15 0	Breakfast Claret	13 0
17 0	Saint Julien	15 0
20 0	Batailley	18 0
20 0	Beych ville	18 0
34 0	Chateau Lafite	28 0
22 0	Chateau La Rose	20 0
30 0	Chateau Latour	26 0
34 0	Chateau Margaux	28 0

N. B.—The 4 last in Pints.

BRANDIES.

We have always a reserve of two hundred and fifty to three hundred Hogsheads of Brandy in bond in the London Vaults, which are allowed to mature before bottling; this enable us to keep up the quality and character of our own brands.

Credit.		Cash.
29 0	Ditto, ditto Vine Leaf	Rs. 27 0
32 0	+ Green Vine Leaf Brandy	29 0
34 0	Brandy, old (2 stars)	30 0
40 0	Ditto, Liquor	36 0

NOTE.—We recommend the Green Vine Leaf as a moderately priced and fine Brandy, Rs. 29 Cash. We have Imported this Brandy into Calcutta in large quantities for more than 20 years.

SPIRITS, LIQUORS, &c.

Credit.		Cash.
22 0	Jamaica Rum, Old Pineapple	Rs. 20 0
20 0	Old Tom, or Cordial Gin	18 0
	Genuine Hollands Gin. (Scheidam) 15 large Squaner in a case	
	Do. Do. Do. 12 small Squaner in a case.	
20 0	Whiskey Glenlivat, Highland	18 0
22 0	Whiskey Irish LL	20 0
20 0	Orange Bitters	17 0
21 0	Ditto, ditto, superior	18 0
20 0	Ginger Wine	17 0
20 0	Cherry Brandy	16 0

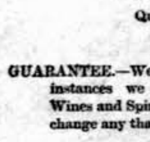
DUTCH LIQUEURS.

40 0	Curacoa Noyeau &c.	Rs. 35 0
40 0	Maraschino de Zara	37 0

FRENCH LIQUEURS.

32 0 Noyeau, Parfait Amour, Curaco, Vanille, Chatreuse Jenni Rose Raspail .....per doz. assorted Rs. 28 0

N. B.—All the above Wines and Spirits have been just landed.



STEINWEIN in Original Dutch Flacons, with handles, in one dozen cases. The Flacon contains one Quart 24 0

CHATEAU Y'QUEM.

Credit.		Cash.
42 0	A description of Liquer Sauterne highly appreciated	38 0

BASS' BEER IN WOOD.

Quarter Casks Kilderkins.

☞ TERMS.

GUARANTEE.—We wish it to be distinctly understood that in all instances we guarantee the quality and purity of our Wines and Spirits, and that we engage to take back or exchange any that may not be approved.

QUOTATIONS.—Our quotations for Sparkling Wines are for good delivery from our Godowns, our calculations being based to guarantee the full complement of sound bottles in each case; the risk of breakage and ullage is thereby avoided by the consumer.

DELIVERIES.—Our deliveries will be in quantities of not less than 1 doz., excepting Liquors, which can be had in any quantity, sample bottles may be had and to the purchasers of 6 dozens and upwards there will be no charge made for the same.

OUR LONDON & BORDEAUX HOUSES.—Those of our friends desiring to indent direct on our London and Bordeaux houses can be supplied at home quotations.

CASH DEPARTMENT.—We would direct special attention to our cash quotations which we have found so successful in Calcutta, whereby our friends derive all the advantages of a cash transaction, by obtaining their Wines at the very lowest remunerative prices. All orders to the Cash Department should be accompanied by a Remittance, in the absence of which they will be transferred to the Credit Department for execution at credit rates.

ADULTERATIONS.—We take the liberty of mentioning that there is a vast quantity of adulterated Wines shipped to this country which are offered at somewhat lower prices than those at which we can afford to sell pure ones; still we are assured that good wines will stand their ground when fairly tested. Those parties, however, who vend "made up" wines act very injurious to the fair trader, and bring discredit on the merchant generally.

PAYNE AND COMPANY.

(BOMBAY BRANCH,)

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WINE MERCHANTS & REGIMENTAL AGENTS,

OFFICES AND SAMPLE ROOM—Elphinstone Circle.

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GODOWNS, MARINE STREET.

ESTABLISHED IN CALCUTTA UPWARDS OF HALF A CENTURY.

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BASS' BEER.

Bottled by the eminent Firm of M. B. Foster & Sons of Brook Street, Bond Street, London,

FOR WHOM WE HAVE BEEN APPOINTED SOLE AGENTS IN BOMBAY.

CASH PRICES.

Quarts per dozen	Rs. 6 0
Pints per dozen	4 0

BASS'S INDIA PALE ALE

Bottled by H. STONE & Co.,

CASH PRICES.

Quarts per dozen	Rs. 6 0
Pints per dozen	4 0

GUINNESS' DUBLIN

XXXXX. STOUT

Recommended to Invalids being free from acidity and very potent.

CASH PRICES.

Quarts per dozen	Rs. 7 0
Pints per dozen	5 0

☞ This is GENUINE STOUT (Not Porter) Bottled by Sparks Moline.

TO MESSES AND MOFUSSIL RESIDENTS.

BASS BEER Bottled by Stone is in Barrels of 4 dozen Quarts and 3 dozen Pints.

BASS BEER Bottled by Foster and Sons is in cases of 3 dozen Quarts and 6 dozen Pints.

NO CHARGE FOR ORIGINAL PACKAGES IF A SMALLER QUANTITY BE ORDERED FOR THE MOFUSSIL A SMALL CHARGE FOR PACKING WILL ENSUE.

PAYNE & Co., Bombay.

IMPORTANT.

MESSES, MERCHANTS, and RESIDENTS, in Western India should apply to CUTLER, PALMER, & Co., Dean Lane, Bombay, for such Wines, Spirits, and Cordials, as

AMONTILLADO, a choice after-dinner Wine—Dry.

BRAUNBERGER, a fragrant dessert Wine.

CLARETS, of the best growths to ordinary, in Quarts and Pints See List.

CHAMBERTIN, the elite of Burgundies.

CURACOA, white or orange, in Quarts and Pints.

CHABLIS, the Wine to be served with Fish.

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Dry and Very Dry CHAMPAGNE, in Magnums, Quarts, and Pints, three qualities.

EAST INDIA MADEIRA, of magnificent character.

Fine Sparkling NONPAREIL and other HOCKS, specially prepared for India.

GIN, best London distilled, dry and soft.

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HOCHHEIMER, a light refreshing Wine in hot weather.

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LIEBFRAUMILCH, another style of Cabinet after-dinner Wine.

MOSELLE NONPAREIL and MUSCATEL, the finest, sparkling, brilliant condition.

MARSALA, pale Virgin, good dinner Wine.

MACON, cheap dinner Burgundy.

NUITS, a dinner Burgundy, good quality.

ORANGE BITTERS, pure, recommended for use before dinner.

PORTS of various qualities, in Quarts or Pints.

(Quotations given at Dean Lane, Bombay.)

RUM, the best of old landed Jamaicas.

RUDESHEIMER, full bodied dinner Hock.

SAUTERNE, delicate and fine flavoured.

TRAMINER FORSTER, a very choice dessert Hock.

(Unexceptionally good Terms to Traders.)

Very old and choice pale COGNACS to medium quality.

WHISKY, Scotch and Irish, old, soft, and mellow.

XERES or SHERRY WINES, in six styles, dry and pale, gold, &c.

YQUEM SAUTERNE, shipped to order.

ZARA, MARASCHINO DI, a choice Italian Liqueur.

NOTICE.

Our heart-shaped Labels, originated and used by us since 1815, are now extensively copied in India, we beg our friends and the public will ask for our Trade-mark Label when ordering Spirits and so prevent fraud.

Being WINE MERCHANTS in the fullest sense of the term, and first hands, we offer our Wines for sale at one profit between the grower and consumer. Our terms to Traders, on orders of 30 dozens, are most liberal, and in like manner we give excellent value to private consumers, from whom we solicit comparison with other brands at our quotations.

TRADERS indenting on us for not less than 100 dozens of any one Wine (Champagne and Moselle included) may have their own names branded on the corks and cases if desired.

WE TAKE SHIPPING ORDERS FOR WINES IN WOOD:

CLARETS, at from £10 (advancing £5 per Hhd.) to £100, in Bordeaux.

SHERRIES, at from £30 (advancing £10 per Butt) to £250, in Cadiz or London.

PORTS, at from £36 (advancing £10 per Pipe) to £180, in Oporto or London.

COGNACS and other Spirits, according to age, at per Gallon.

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LONDON HOUSES { Wholesale and for Export only—TOWER BONDED VAULTS, MARK LANE. Retail—CHARING CROSS RAILWAY ARCHES, VILLIERS STREET, STRAND.

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REPRESENTATIVES IN

China,	Colombo,	New Zealand,
Calcutta,	Kurrachee,	Manilla,
Madras,	New York,	New Orleans.

FOR SALE, at the Godowns of the undersigned, the following WINES, shipped by Messrs. Frederick Giesler & Co., London:—

Champagne	Quarts, in Cases of	... 1 doz. each	
Do.	Pints do.	... 2	,,
Moselle	Quarts do.	... 1	,,
Do.	Pints do.	... 2	,,
Hock	(Hockheimer) Quarts. do.	1	,,
Do.	(Marcobrunner) Qts. do.	1	,,
Eau De Cologne		6 Bottles in a Box.	

Also,

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Superior Larose Claret in cases of 1 doz. each.

Do. ... ... (St. Julien) ... 1 ,,

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		Cash. Rs.	as.	Credit. Rs.	as.
BARCLAY & PERKIN'S Pints per dozen		4	0	4	8
GUINNESS' Double extra ,, ,,		4	0	4	8
Do. Do. Quarts ,,		6	8	7	0
WHITE & Co.'s celebrated— Double extra	Pints ,,	3	12	4	0
Do. do.	Quarts ,,	6	4	6	12

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MESSES OWEN and OKELL, Agents of the above Eminent, Shippers, have for sale the following Wines:—

		Quarts per doz.	Pints per doz.
SHERRIES.	Charles Tovey's No. 3	Rs. 24	Rs. —
	Charles Tovey's ,, 2	,, 32	,, 17
	Charles Tovey's ,, 1	,, 40	,, 21
	"3 Crowns" Solera	,, 44	,, 23
	C. T.'s Amontillado No. 2 Amo	,, 28	,, —
CLARETS.	Charles Tovey's No. 4	,, 15	,, —
	Charles Tovey's ,, 3	,, 20	,, 11
	Charles Tovey's ,, 2 c	,, 24	,, 13
	Charles Tovey's ,, 2 B	,, 30	,, 16
	Charles Tovey's ,, 2	,, 36	,, 19
	Charles Tovey's ,, 1	,, 40	,, 21
SAUTERNES.	Charles Tovey's 1864	,, 25	,, 13½
MOSELLES.	Sparkling Moselle Muscatel	,, 36	,, 19
HOCK.	Sparkling Die Perle des Rheims	,, 40	,, 21
BRANDY.	Charles Tovey's, Cognac No. 3	,, 20	,, —
HOLLANDS.	Geneva fine proof. Case of 15 squares Rs. 26.		

Orders for the undermentioned shipments (*shortly expected to arrive*) can now be registered:—

Per "Courier-de-Bombay," from Bordeaux, WHITE AND RED BURGUNDIES, CHAMPAGNE, COGNAC, CLARET.

Per "Gaulois," from Bordeaux, CHAMPAGNE, CLARET.

Per "Star of the South," from London, MOSELLE.

Per "Hindustan" from London. ISLAY, MALT, AND IRISH WHISKEY, OLD TOM, PORT.

Per "British Admiral" from London. SHERRY.

Per "Coldinghame" from London. GIN SHERRY.

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CHAMPAGNE

				Rs.
Champagne		Titus Newhouse	Quarts	18
do.	Rose	F. Wegelin	,,	20
do.		B. & E. Perrier	,,	36

SPARKLING HOCK AND MOSELLE.

Sparkling Schwarzhofberg		F. Kehrmann	Quarts	34
do.	Hock	do.	,,	22
do.	Moselle	do.	,,	22
do.	Moselle Muscatel	do.	,,	22
do.	Moselle No. 2	Titus Newhouse	,,	30
do.	Moselle No. 2	do.	Pints	31
do.	Moselle No. 1	do.	Quarts	22
do.	Moselle No. 1	do.	Pints	23

STILL HOCK.

Queen Victoria Vineyard	G. M. Pabstmann Son	Quarts	54
do.	do.	,,	48
Marcobrunner	do.	,,	30
Boxbentel Steinwein	do.	,,	24
Liebfraumilch	Gebr. Schmits	,,	18
Hochheimer	do.	,,	26
Schloss Johannisberg	do.	,,	32
Rudesheimer	do.	,,	36

CLARETS.

Bages Pauliac	R. G. Hobbs & Co.	,,	34
Milon Pauliac	do.	,,	34
Clos Fourlet St. Emillion	do.	,,	28
Vrai canon	H. & C. Balaresque.	,,	24
Chateau de Franks	do.	,,	19
Chateau Larose	H. Hernozant & Co.	,,	24
Chateau Leoville	do.	,,	19
Baumes Sauterne Superior Montheuil Franc fils Aine	do.	,,	36
Chateau Bel Air St. Julien Medoc	do.	,,	24
Chateau Delorme Margaux	do.	,,	24

SUNDRY WINES AND BRANDIES.

Sherry No. 4	Titus Newhouse	Quarts	26
Old Champagne Cognac	H. & C. Balaresque.	,,	22
Brandy	H. Hibelot & Co	,,	20
do.	R. G. Hobbs & Co	,,	24
Old Cognac	do.	,,	30
Absinthe	do.	,,	30
Burgundy Porto	do.	,,	12
do.	do.	,,	16
Best Old Cognac	do.	,,	30
do.	Blanchy Freres & Co	,,	30
Brandy	John Bakes	,,	15
Bonekamp of Maagbitter	H. Underberg Albrecht	,,	20
Magenbitter	Idocus Roberts	,,	20

Terms - CASH.

Bombay, January 1869. VOLKART BROTHERS.

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We subjoin our LIST OF SELECTED WINES for this market, and beg to intimate:—

1st. That we cannot execute orders for less than 1 dozen quarts, or 2 dozen pints of either one of them, Liqueurs excepted: these in not less quantities than ½ dozen pints or quarts.

2nd. That our Wines and Spirits are procurable from every respectable General Shopkeeper in Bombay and at Out-stations; they, however, fix their own selling prices for them.

3rd. That our quotations are for delivery from our Godowns, and that we do not take the risk of subsequent breakage. Nor can we undertake to deliver Wines, &c. in Bombay.

4th. That our quotations for all Sparkling Wines do not provide for examination of original packed Cases or for the rejection of ullaged or broken bottles likely to be found in such Cases, on arrival, after a long sea voyage. We guarantee each Case to contain its full complement of sound Bottles at time of shipment, but at our prices cannot provide for atmospheric or climatic influences; if our constituents wish us to take this risk, which affects sparkling wine more than any other, we can only do so by adding Rs. 4 per dozen quarts, and Rs. 2½ per dozen pints to our quotations.

CLARETS.

(Our own Brand)

		per doz. Qts.	Pts.
A 1—CHATEAU LATOUR or MOUTON. Gold Capsule, Labelled & Branded		Rs. 30	Rs. 16
No. 1—RAUZAN, Black capsule,	do	,, 25	,, 14
,, 2—LEOVILLE, Blue capsule,	do	,, 22	,, 12
CHATEAU PALMER, Blue capsule,		,, 22	
,, 3—LA ROSE, Yellow capsule,	do	,, 18-8,	,, 10-8
,, 4—ST. JULIEN, Green capsule,	do	,, 17	,, 10
,, 5—MEDOC, Red capsule	do	,, 15-8,	,, 9
,, 6—MEDOC, White capsule,	do	,, 13-8	
SAUTERNE, Red capsule,	do	,, 22	

BURGUNDIES.

Very Choice—RED AND WHITE.
(Our own Brand.)

CHAMBERTIN, Labelled and Branded		Rs. 32
NUITS,	ditto	,, 26
MACON,	ditto	,, 21
CHABLIS,	ditto	,, 22

CHAMPAGNES.

The finest DRY CHAMPAGNES that can be shipped.
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MAGNUMS, Finest Dry	Rs. 74	
FINEST DRY Sparkling, Gold foil, Labelled & Branded	,, 36	Rs. 19-8
FINE SPARKLING, Silver Foil ditto	,, 32	,, 17-8
GOOD SPARKLING, ditto ditto	,, 27	,, 14-8

GERMAN WINES.

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NONPAREIL SPARKLING HOCK and Moselle, Gold foil, Labelled and Branded	Rs. 36	to 19-8
SPARKLING HOCK and MUSCATEL MOSELLE, Silver foil	,, 32	,, 17-8
MOSELLE, Still, MARCOBRUNNER	,, 34	...
,, ,, BRAUNBERGER	,, 25	...
HOCK, ,, JOHANNISBERGER	,, 42	...
,, ,, FORSTER TTRAMINER	,, 34	...
,, ,, RUDESHEIMER	,, 26	...
,, ,, HOCHEIMER	,, 23	...

SHERRIES.

Specially selected for tropical consumption.
(Our own Brand.)

	Qts.
AMONTILLADO, very choice and superior	Rs. 32 0
AMOROSO, very choice, full flavored, soft, pale	,, 28 0
SHERRY, No. 1, GREEN SEAL, full bodied, light gold colour, nutty and dry	,, 22 0
do. No. 1, BLUE SEAL, very pale and dry	,, 22 0
do. ,, 1, BROWN SEAL, pale and dry	,, 22 0
do. ,, 2, YELLOW SEAL, pale and dry, an excellent Dinner Wine	,, 18 0
do. ,, 3, WHITE SEAL, ordinary Dinner Wine	,, 15 8
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Do. do. do.	2	,,	2 4	2 8
NIC NAC, a fancy sweet biscuit	1	,,	0 14	1 0
Do. do. do.	2	,,	1 8	1 12
PALACE VARITIES, of 28 sweet rich biscuits	1	,,	1 0	1 2
PEARL, a very slightly sweet biscuit	1	,,	0 14	1 0
Do. do. do. do.	2	,,	1 8	1 12
PRINCE OF WALES, a plain biscuit	1	,,	0 14	1 0
Do. do. do. do.	2	,,	1 8	1 12
SPICE NUTS, do. do.	1	,,	1 4	1 8
Do. do. do.	2	,,	2 0	2 4
TOURIST, a plain good biscuit	1	,,	0 14	1 0
Do. do. do.	2	,,	1 8	1 12
THIN WATER do.	1	,,	0 14	1 0
Do. do.	2	,,	1 8	1 12
ASSORTMENTS of the above kinds	1 lb. tins per doz.		11 0	12 8
Do. do.	2 lbs. tins per doz.		19 8	22 0

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3, MEADOW STREET, FORT.

MRS. HERN begs to intimate that she has considerably reduced the prices of all her Goods, so as to prevent as much as possible the trouble and expense of packing for the monsoon.

MRS. HERN

takes this opportunity of mentioning that a still further reduction will be made on cash payments.

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Must be accompanied by a Remittance.

EXTENSIVE ARRIVAL of NEW GOODS.—A. ALLAN'S Selections from the English, Scotch, and Foreign Markets have just been landed, and from the superior quality, and variety of the newest Patterns Manufactured, he begs to inform his Customers and the Public in general, that he is prepared to satisfy their demands with the latest novelty and a good fit in the bargain.

A. ALLAN having purchased a job lot, of silk mixed Tweeds, he now offers to make suits of them at prices never before offered in Bombay.

Fancy Dark Silk Mixed Suits				Rs. 35
Do.	do.	do.	Double Breasted Coats	,, 18
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A few light Tweeds Suits from Rs. 20 and upwards.

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Superfine Scarlet Cloth, the finest texture exposed in the Exhibition, Paris, specially adopted for India.

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"ALL ORDERS CAREFULLY AND EXPEDITIOUSLY ATTENDED TO."—ORDERS FROM OUTSTATIONS must be accompanied by a REMITTANCE OR REFERENCE FOR PAYMENT IN BOMBAY.

"OVERLAND TRUNKS ON HAND."

UXBRIDGE HOUSE, BYCULLA, BOMBAY; and also No. 3, Hummum Street, Fort, January, 1869.

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Sponges.	Filters.
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AND A LARGE STOCK OF OTHER SUNDRIES.

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Orders from Outstations, accompanied by a Bombay reference will receive every care and attention.

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Bombay, 16th February 1869.

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An Amalgamation having been formed between the STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY and the COLONIAL LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, the business of the United Companies will henceforth be conducted under the title of

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MODERATE RATES charged for residence in the Colonies, India, and other places abroad.

LOCAL BOARDS and AGENCIES in India and in all the British Colonies, where every facility will be afforded in the transaction of business, and where Premiums may be received and Claims paid.

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The New Colonial and Foreign Prospectus may be had on application at the Chief Offices of the Company, or to the Agents at home or abroad.

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The London Asiatic and American Company (Limited)
1st October 1867.

SALES BY AUCTION.

B E N N E T T and C O M P A N Y.

WEEKLY SALE.

To-morrow Saturday, the 27th instant, Messrs. Bennett & Co. will sell by public auction at their rooms, a quantity of grey and other piece-goods, such as shirtings T. cloths, jaconets, madapollams, prints &c., few lots of surgical and other instruments, in cases, &c., belonging to the Government Medical Stores.

Also, on account of the Government.

A quantity of posts, telegraph wire, packing cases, &c. &c.

Few pair handsome agate, blue, green and gilt flower vases, fancy toys &c.

AT 1 P. M.

One handsome chesnut Yaboo riding horse, height 14¼.

A Shigram with a pair of handsome bullocks.

AUCTION SALE of handsome household furniture, plated, glass, and porcelain ware, &c., at Marine Lines, Esplanade.

To-morrow Saturday, the 27th instant, Messrs. Bennett & Co. are instructed to sell by public auction, at the above-mentioned place, the handsome household furniture, plated, glass, and porcelain ware, &c., the property of an Officer leaving India, the same comprises a set of rich cut glassware, handsome dinner and dessert services, best plated such as hotwater curry dishes, cruet, egg, and pickle frames, table and chamber candlesticks, cutlery, &c., handsomely carved blackwood furniture, such as round dining table, sets of camp do., sideboard, screens, teapoys, circular pier and sofa tables, drawing-room easy and predieu chairs, carpets, a handsome English brass bedstead, camp cots, dressing and washing tables, toilet glasses, clothes and gown presses, chests of drawers, towel horses, clothes baskets, dispense articles, cooking utensils, &c., &c.

No catalogue and the property is now on view.

AUCTION SALE of handsome Household Furniture, Plated Glass and Porcelain Ware, &c., at Breach Candy, opposite the Hindoo Temple.

On Thursday, the 1ts proximo, Messrs. Bennett & Co. are instructed to submit to public auction, at the above-mentioned place the household furniture of Colonel W. F. Marriott.

Catalogues will be published, and the property on view 3 days before the day of sale.

AUCTION SALE of VALUABLE and ELEGIBLE BUNGALOW at KHANDALA.

On Wednesday the 14th proximo, at 3 P. M., Messrs. Bennett & Co. are instructed to submit to public auction at their rooms, No. 5 Forbes street, Fort, Bombay:—

The following property at Khandala that desirable and commodious bungalow built by G. L. Clowser, Esq., situated on the best part of the hill and commanding an excellent view with extensive compound and garden, together with out-houses, servants' quarters, cook rooms, stablings, &c.

The said piece or parcel of land or ground containing by admeasurement twenty acres, or thereabouts. Full particulars, apply to the undersigned.

FOR SALE on COMMISSION.

A very superior buggy, horse, and harness complete. Price. Rs. 1,200. May be seen at two hours' notice.

5 Sets of double buckle best plated mounted single harness.

Bombay, 26th March, 1869. BENNETT & Co.

SALES BY AUCTION.

CRAWFORD and COMPANY.

3, MARINE STREET, BOMBAY.

USUAL AUCTION SALE.

On Monday, the 29th instant, Messrs. Crawford & Co. will hold their usual weekly auction sale of grey, white and coloured piece goods, &c.

7 bales grey shirtings.
2 ,, ,, domestics.
2 cases T. red scarfs.
3 ,, white and grey dhoties.
2 ,, real coral large and small sizes.
4 ,, staple's bench vices.
1 ,, E. plated ware consisting of tea and coffee services, 4, 5, and 6 bottled, cruet frames, pewter tea pots, &c.

On account and risk of Mahomed Adamjee:—

M A.—144, 145, 146 ex "Edinburgh," from Liverpool, containing 3, 2, 6 inch Lords wrought Iron fireproof chests, chubb's locks, 12 portable camp lamps in japaned cases.

On account and risk of Curimjee Ismaljee:—

C I.—21, 22, ex "Ophelia," from Liverpool, containing 24 dozens ship scrapers Iron handles, and 6 caulking Irons assorted, 4 dozens garden trowls, 12 cwt. Iron spanners assorted 12 to 14 in.

SALE of HAY.

On Tuesday, the 30th inst., at 4 P. M., Messrs. Crawford & Co. will sell by public auction, on the spot where it stands

A stock of hay situated at Parell, said to contain 3,50,000 bundles. This hay is of superior quality.

SALE of VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTIES, near the Hon'ble Munguldass Nuthoobhoy's Market, Grant Road.

Messrs. Crawford and Co. will sell by public auction, by order of Vizbhoocun Atmaram, and on account of Thucker Damjee Ludha, the following properties:—

LOT 1.—On Wednesday the 31st instant, at 4 P. M., on the premises, all that piece of ground with the dwelling-houses standing thereon, situate, in the Shaik Memon Street opposite the Jooma Musjid near the Hon'ble Munguldass Nuthoobhoy's market containing by admeasurement 432 square yards or thereabouts, assessed under Nos. 360, 336, and 368 A, registered under Nos. 101, bounded on the east by a passage, on the west by the Shaik Memon street, on the north partly by the property of Messrs. Dadabhoy and Muncherjee Hormusjee Cama, and partly by the property of the Hon'ble Munguldass Nuthoobhoy, and on the south by the property of Purboodass Narrondass.

LOT 2.—On Thursday, the 1st proximo, at 4 P. M., on the premises:—all that piece of ground with the dwelling-houses standing thereon, situate at Grant Road, containing by admeasurement 312 square yards or thereabouts assessed under No. 11,049 and registered under Nos. [illegible], and 5,154, bounded on the east by the vacant ground of Dorabjee Parsee, on the west by the Grant Road, on the north by the vacant ground of Narrayen Govindjee, and on the south by the house of Doming Postuguese.

FOR SALE on COMMISSION.

THE PROPERTY OF A GENTLEMAN ABOUT TO PROCEED TO ENGLAND.

A light but commodious English-built brougham made to order cost Rs. 2,000, price now Rs. 1,000.

A ditto ditto cost 10 months ago Rs. 1,200, price now Rs. 700.

A Gulf Arab horse aged — color black, serviceable for brougham or phaeton, price Rs. 250.

A grey arab horse, aged — goes in harness and is a serviceable animal, price Rs. 200.

May be seen daily on application at the Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy's Hospital.

Bombay, 26th March, 1869. CRAWFORD & Co.

BYRAMJEE FRAMJEE & Co.,

AUCTIONEERS COMMISSION AGENTS AND APPRAISERS.

BYCULLA, PARELL ROAD, NEXT TO THE JEWISH SYNAGOGUE.

THE BYCULLA AUCTION MART.

The Auction Sale of George III. Jute and Wool Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited, is postponed till Monday, the 12th proximo.

NOTICE to CAPITALISTS and OTHERS.

AUCTION SALE of Buildings, Ground, Machinery, Materials, &c., &c., of the George III. Jute and Wool Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited (in Liquidation). At Parell.

Messrs. Byramjee Framjee and Co. have been favoured with instructions from the liquidator of the above Company to submit to public auction, on Monday, the 12th proximo, and the following days. All the buildings and grounds of the above Company in the course of construction, together with all the valuable materials and machinery, &c., therein erected, and lying, viz., a large powerful 40 horse-power high and low pressure engine and boilers, an 8 horse-power vertical do., and boiler, a large drilling machine, a horizontal shaping do., a vertical slotting do., a large self-acting slide lathe with bed about 24 feet long, shaftings and pulleys, plumber blocks, &c., about 1,500 feet large, cast iron spouting, a quantity of large wall boxes, a do. of bevil and mitre wheels, 2 large iron girders and cast iron do., several single and double crab winches, about 1,000 feet of shafting from 2 to 6 inches diameter, a large quantity of coupling, about 150 cast iron pulleys, about 300 cast iron columns fitted with pedestals to suit, shafting from 4 to 8 inches in diameter, caps and base plates for do. in large quantity, about 300 to 400 large English stones adapted for the foundation of machinery, a very large quantity of bobbins in very large casks, a great number of spinning and weaving machines, a quantity of engineer's tools, pulley blocks, files, a large quantity of large tin plates, and a variety of other valuable and useful materials, tools, and machinery, too numerous to mention.

For further particulars apply to Mr. Nusserwanjee Ardaseer Wadia, liquidator of the Company, at 14, Apollo Street, Fort, or to the undersigned.

N. B.—The buildings and ground will be sold at 4 P.M. on the first day of the sale on the premises.

Catalogues are now ready and may be had on application, and the property is now on view.

AN EXTENSIVE AUCTION SALE of very valuable and costly household furniture including a princely drawing-room suit, a pair of most splendid and magnificent 54 lights chandeliers, superb ball-room candelabras, first-rate oilpaintings, self-playing organs, one of Alexandre's, first-rate large harmoniums, hand organs, piano, handsome argand lustres and chandeliers, by Nash and Tucker, very rich drawing-room carpets, handsome large pier glasses, valuable clocks, music boxes, flower vases and table ornaments, a splendid collection of works on science, industry, and art, best London-made table plate, plated, glass, and porcelain ware, handsome carriages, a magnificent Clarence, by Laurie and Marner, single and double harness, &c., near the Gwallia Tank in the bungalow lately occupied by the late Mr. Culliandass Mohundass.

Messrs. Byramjee Framjee & Co. have been honoured with instructions to submit to public auction at the above premises on Monday next, the 29th, Tuesday, the 30th, and Wednesday, the 31st inst., and on Thursday, the 1st, and on Saturday, the 3rd, Monday, the 5th, and on Tuesday, the 6th April next, precisely at 1 o'clock, on each day successively, an extensive assortment of most magnificent and costly household furniture, amongst others, a princely drawing-room suit, consisting of 24 handsome chairs, made to special design, of solid Spanish mahogany, the back, leg, and front rails elaborately carved, the whole of the frames double gilt in best possible way in mat and burnish gold, the seat and back springs stuffed with best hair finished in canvas and then covered with richly embroidered silk made to special design, the outside back also covered with the same silk and trimmed with rich gimps, the front legs fitted with best patent white bowl castors, and the whole finished in the best possible manner with handsome French chintz covers, cut out to shape of chairs made up and lined with fine white calico lining and afterwards welted and bound with French merino to correspond with prevailing colour in chintz with extra covers of different pattern chintz, also 4 arms easy chairs, six very large and handsome sitties and two very large centre ottomans designed specially and working and drawing made for same with centre figures, the back shaped to form four seats, the stumps at arms joining the seats richly carved, the centre part of backs surmounted by very handsome ornaments, consisting of carved centre column and two figures supporting self for vases, the figures modelled expressly for these ottomans, the columns and figures made to take off so that the ottomans can be used without them.

The above suit all to match, and the same having cost more than £4,000. Also another splendid but less expensive suit, also a pair of most magnificent and rich crystal cut glass 54 lights chandeliers, 12 splendid 9 lights high ball room candelabras with beautiful porcelain China vases in centre for bouquet representing motto of fidelity and industry, some first-rate oil-paintings of large sizes, the productions of eminent artists in most elaborately carved gilt frames, subjects "Windsor Castle," peacock, English pheasants and a pair of truly valuable portraits of H. R. H. the Prince and Princess of Wales costing £600, a variety of handsome gilt mahogany and elaborately carved blackwood furniture, consisting of rich gilt pair and console tables with marbles and looking glasses, gilt, circular, and oblong tables and teapoys with marble tops, extra large size eight feet long most splendidly carved blackwood arm divans covered with rich crimson and gold figured silk damask, centre ottomans of new designs, chiffoniers, book and ornament cases, circular, pier, side, sofa, writing, and dining tables, drawing-room chairs, a first rate English mahogany bagatelle table on stand, a magnificent solid mahogany extra large size sideboard with British plate glass mirror, back and handsome marble slab, an extensive assortment of hanging argand lustres, and chandeliers by A. J. Nash and Tucker and Sons, from 1 to 12 lights either for oil, candle, or gas, wall shades and brackets, handsome fancy hall lanterns, an invoice of pretty table argand and kerosine oil lamps in great variety, some very rich and rare carpets, a handsome self-playing organ, a fine-toned French polished oakwood harmonium by Alexandre and Sons, of Paris, with two rows of keys and 22 stops, a very good semi-grand rosewood piano by Broadwood, several hand and mechanical organs with dancing and jumping figures, two valuable clocks with glass domes, several other clocks, handsome vases, Dresden and Parisian figures, and bronze statuary and table ornaments in endless variety, handsome real China vases and sugar jars, 3 new patent sewing machines, English brass four-post bedsteads, blackwood do., verandah and garden couches and benches, bed and dressing-rooms requisites, a match rifle, by Whitworth, with ammunition, a breech-loading rifle, by Calisher and Terry. A double-barrelled rifle by Henry, a large telescope on stand, four English oakwood iron clamped plate chests, a splendid table service of rich crystal glass, a set of best English-made lily-pattern silver ware for 36 persons, a set of King's pattern for 12 persons, best plated ware by Elkingtone and Sarle and Sons, 15 casks of rich porcelain dinner, dessert, breakfast, tea, coffee, and toilette services, iron treasure chests, pieces of rich gold French kinkhobs, and a variety of most excellent and useful fancy articles and nicnacs, &c., &c.

AT 2 P.M. ON THE 1ST DAY OF THE SALE.

A four-seated English-built brougham.

An excellent English-built four-sided conveyance, to carry 8 persons, well adapted for picnic excursion and worthy the inspection of tourists or excurtionists, being very light and easy to be dragged.

A second-hand shigram.
A grey shigram horse.
An English pony mare.
An English-built landau in excellent order.
A do. do. brougham.
A handsome English-built mail phaeton, by Silk and Sons.
A do. open-carriage, by Palliser.
A good serviceable palanquin.

Sets of first-rate single and double harness, railway wrappers and carriage rugs, horse blankets, &c. &c.

An English-built magnificent clarence by Laurie and Marner.
An excellent English-built brougham by Thorn, of London.
A do. do. circular glass fronted miniature brougham, by Holman & Co. of Long Acre.
An English-built light office brougham.
A do. do. second-hand brougham for pair of horses.
A second-hand four-seated phaeton.
A handsome high cast Arab iron grey fresh colt, about three years old, height about 14-1½.
Eight sets of good second-hand double harness.
Several sets of second-hand horse clothing.
Two sets of postillion's uniform.

Catalogues are being published, and the property is now on view.

AUCTION SALE of very valuable and costly jewellery, silver ware, &c., near the Gowalia Tank, at the bungalow lately occupied by the late Mr. Calliandass Mohundass.

On Friday next, the 2nd proximo, at 2 P. M., Messrs. Byramjee Framjee & Co. will sell by public auction, at the above premises, an assortment of valuable jewellery consisting of several large single-stone diamond rings, diamond, emerald, and ruby rings, nose rings, very valuable and costly brilliant diamond necklaces, a handsome diamond and ruby do., several handsome diamond, pearl, ruby, and emerald necklaces (kunthies,) a large three pearl nose-ring, diamond ear-rings and choakras or studs, diamond emerald and ruby rings, China gold bangles and varras, ladies gold enamelled hand bangles, ladies' and gentlemen's gold hunting and open-face watches by McCabe, Bennett and other makers, two valuable diamond hair combs, ladies' brooches, gold watch and Albert chains, silver ware, consisting of lotas, water pots, cups, saucers, salt cellars, spoons, forks, dessert knives, &c. a pair of handsome English silver presentation cup and saucer, four valuable diamond bangles, two do. pearl do., a pair of large diamond ear-rings, a pair of handsome gold cup and saucer, set with rubies, a gold snuff-box, set with a large diamond, two very handsome diamond, emerald, and ruby breast-pins.

Catalogues will be published, and the above jewellery will be on view from Sunday, the 28th instant.

BYRAMJEE FRAMJEE & Co.

Bombay, 26th March 1869.

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HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.—Unaccountable Illnesses.—Persons naturally nervous, or those whose nerves are unfitted to bear with impunity the racket of life, frequently feel unwell without any assignable cause: to such sufferers these strengthening Pills are above all price. Holloway's medicine promotes perfect digestion, whereby a richer and stronger store of vitality is thrown into the blood, which soon dispels transient weakness, and gradually removes permanent debility and loss of mental energy. The Pills at the same time preserve due order and scrupulous regularity, and healthily superintend every natural function. No expedient can succesfully enter into competition with these Pills, which, without weakening or irritating the system, secure the steady action of the bowels—that prime necessity of all ages.

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